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To the Constables and Police Officers of the City of Woburn, in or out of either of them.

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, we hereby require forthwith to notify and warn the inhabitants of Ward 8, qualified to vote as the law directs, to meet in the Village House, No. 2, Main Street, on Monday, the 10th day of January, 1893, at six o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to give in their votes for an Alderman to be voted for by the inhabitants so qualified for said ward.

The Polls shall be opened at 6 o'clock, A. M., and shall be closed at ten minutes after four o'clock, P. M.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting up an attested copy thereof at the place appointed for Ward meetings in said Ward, seven days at least before the time of said meeting.

Heretofore, and to make due return of the warrant and of your doings thereon, to the Clerk of said City/ward days at least before the time of meeting as aforesaid.

Witness, PHILIP K. A. RICHMOND, Mayor of the City of Woburn, this 25th day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.

By order of the Mayor and Aldermen,
EDWARD H. LOUNSBURY, City Clerk.

A true copy. Attest:
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PROBATE COURT.

To the next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Charles H. Bux, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, intestate:

WHEREAS, application has been made to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Charles H. Bux, in the County of Middlesex, and to exempt her from giving surety or securities on her bond pursuant to statute.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Lowell, in said County, on the third Tuesday of January, A. D. 1893, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same; and said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week, three weeks successively, in the newspaper called the Woburn Journal, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-third day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two.

S. H. FOLSOM, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, SS.

PROBATE COURT.

To all persons interested in the estate of Mary Ann Duffy, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased:

WHEREAS, James E. Duffy, Administrator of the estate of said deceased, has presented for allowance the first and final account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Lowell, in said County, on the third Tuesday of January next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed. And said administrator is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once a week in the Woburn Journal, a newspaper printed at Woburn, three weeks successively, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-third day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two.

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Boston Theatres.

THE HOWARTH SQUARE.

"The Hostler" one of the most successful farce comedies will be given at the Howarth Square theatre next Monday evening. The company contains some leading artists among them can be found John Kernell, George Marion, John W. Gilroy, Geo. Mills, Sadie Kirby, John Kelly and others. "The White Squadron" will close a successful engagement on Saturday evening.

THE COLUMBIA.

A. M. Palmer's stock company under the direction of Mr. A. Hayman, is playing "Alabama" this week at the Columbia and a large and enthusiastic audience greeted them on Monday evening. "Alabama" is an American play by an American author and is charming. "Alabama" will be the attraction next week.

THE TREMONT.

The success which has attended the presentations of Charles H. Hoyt's "A Texas Steer" on its previous presentations at the Tremont theatre have caused it to establish more than one record. It will soon be seen again at the Tremont, beginning a season of two weeks on Monday night. The cast will include Miss Flora Walsh and Mr. Tim Murphy in their original roles of Bosky and the Hon. Maverick Brander respectively.

Hoyt's "A Temperance Town" commenced the second month of its run at the Park theatre last Monday, and began the new year most auspiciously and brightly by playing to a packed house. Beginning with the unprecedented business of Monday a week ago, which this attraction did at the Park, the week was collected as it began and the old year went out with a record at this popular place of amusement, the best in the history of the theatre. Author Hoyt has been almost in constantly attendance at the performances of "A Temperance Town," but this week he has been absent to attend to his duties as a State Representative in the New Hampshire legislature. "A Temperance Town" will continue at the Park theatre for some time to come since there seems to be no end to its drawing powers.

Next Monday evening the Grand Opera House will celebrate the fifth anniversary of its opening most fittingly. Five years of continuous success have passed since the doors of the popular South End theatre were thrown open to the public and the future of the theatre gives promise of even greater success than the past has brought to it. On this anniversary evening every lady who passes the doors will be presented with a fitting souvenir of the occasion. The gift is now being prepared by Mr. Manager Dexter and it will be something which will surely please the ladies. The dramatic offering is a new style comedy and is sure to afford all the patrons of the house. It is called "Ole Olson" and is the father, that is, the original of all the Swedish-American plays.

Next Monday evening the popular comedian, Mr. William H. Crane, who will present for the first time in Boston his new play, "The American Minister." The touching of the Indian murders in New Orleans furnishes the starting point of the play, yet the incident is lightly handled, and no national prejudices are offended by its treatment. Mr. Crane will have a very strong supporting company. Grand testimonial concert to John Graham on Sunday evening, Jan. 8.

"Babies in the Wood" has become familiar to all within thirty miles of Boston and in fact the whole New England. The transformation scenes and ballet are wonderful. The English artist's third American tour and he will present "Ben My Chree" and "Pharaoh" as his principal plays. "Pharaoh" is a tragedy by Mr. Barrett and deals with little old Egypt. It has met with great favor wherever presented. "Pharaoh" will be produced with magnificent scenery and the costumes were made from designs from the picture records of the Egyptian Department of the British Museum.

The closing week of "Mayfair" at the Museum began last Monday evening, with a large audience. Next Monday "Agatha" will be reproduced for a limited season, by very general request. The cast will be the same brilliant series of artists who were seen in the play earlier in the present season including Miss Hampton, Miss Burrows, Mr. Wilson, Mr. Carson, Mr. Barrett, Mr. Hudson and others. Following "Agatha," Miss Merington's "Good Bye" will receive its first production on any stage. In connection with it "Faithful James" will be given.

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Burlington.

The annual sale of the seats in the church was held Dec. 29. Mr. G. W. Austin of Arlington, who has kindly aided the church in this way, every time the seats have sold, officiated as auctioneer. The sale realized more money than last year.

A very enjoyable concert was given Friday evening, Dec. 30, by Mr. Baker of Lowell, assisted by a great variety of talent. The artists were repeatedly encouraged and all their selections seemed to give satisfaction. This was the third entertainment of the Y. P. S. C. E. Course and was certainly the best attended. The next lecture will be given Jan. 17, by Rev. William Carey Barrows of Woburn, on "Lessons from Two Pillars." Mr. Barrows is an interesting speaker and deserves the best audience that Burlington, aided and abetted by Woburn and other adjoining communities, can give him.

The reunion of the High School Class of '90, occurred in Deliberative Hall, Malden, Mass., on Tuesday evening, Dec. 27th. Mr. and Mrs. Fred F. Walker, of Burlington, though separated from us by some little distance, responded to our urgent call, and were tendered a complimentary dinner at the residence of their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Elsie Harry Converse, prior to the reunion. Mrs. Converse and Mrs. Walker have the honor of being the only members of the class who have married since graduation day, and were in consequence objects of particular interest to their still unwedded classmates.—REUNION REPORTER.

WINCHESTER.

Mr. Jordan Symmes of New York, an old time resident and town father of Winchester, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Geo. A. Spaulding, and having a good time.

Mrs. D. O. Blanchard quit her pleasant home on the West Side last week and in company with Mrs. C. M. Rust went to Newark, N. J., for a holiday visit among relatives and friends there. May it be a pleasant one.

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In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required forthwith to notify and warn the inhabitants of Ward 6, qualified to vote as the law directs, to meet in the City of Woburn, in said County, at four o'clock in the afternoon, on the 10th day of January, 1893, at six o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to give their votes for an Alderman to be voted for by the inhabitants so qualified for said ward.

The Polls shall be opened at 6 o'clock, A.M., and shall be closed at ten minutes after four o'clock, P.M.

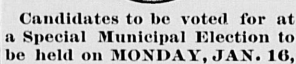
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Witness, PHILIP K. A. RICHARDSON, Mayor of the City of Woburn, this 21st day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.

By order of the Mayor and Aldermen, EDWARD H. LOUNSBURY, City Clerk.

CITY OF WOBURN.



Candidates to be voted for at a Special Municipal Election to be held on MONDAY, JAN. 16, 1893.

WARD VI. For Alderman.

CHARLES T. DEARBORN, Republican

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George H. Gilbert is able to be around again.

Mr. Andrew J. Todd, a Veteran, is getting better.

Nelson Allen has been employed again by the town.

Mr. Abijah Thompson and wife are enjoying hotel life at the Hub.

The regular meeting of the Fortnightly Club was held last Monday evening.

Mr. Goddu is about to build a big machinery plant on Small's Addition to Winchester.

Mr. Loring B. Edwards of this place and Miss Beatrice A. Jackson of West Medford are engaged.

Prof. Moore, a cultured gentleman, is giving a very interesting course of lectures here on European travels.

The W. C. T. U. will hold their annual meeting in the G. A. R. Hall at 3 o'clock on Friday afternoon, Jan. 13.

The Star advocates the appointment of General John M. Corse for postmaster of Boston, and everybody second the nomination.

The Y. M. C. A. are giving our people some fine entertainments this season. A live Secretary has control of things and hence the Association is flourishing.

The new Rumford school house is one of the handsomest in the vicinity of Boston. Judge George S. Littlefield was Chairman of the Building Committee.

One of our town Fathers got so mad over the matter of setting electric poles in the street that he went to attend the meetings of the Fathers. Sort of childish, eh?

Boston Courier: A pleasing social occasion was the reception given Friday by Mrs. John P. Gregory at her home on Wildwood St., Winchester, for Mrs. Julia Ward Howe and Mrs. Mary G. Murray of Philadelphia.

Our distinguished fellow-citizen, General Corse, the Hero of Altona, stands a good chance of getting a rich plum from the next administration. He is worthy of any place of honor and profit that President Cleveland can give him, and we all hope to see him get a fat one.

There is going to be more music (clinch) at our next Town Meeting than a dozen boys can shake a stick at in a month of Sundays. There are dead loads of rods in pickle and some of the musicians (clinch) are already putting their instruments in order. "Look out for the Bell when the Engine rings!"

Walter Bubier, who is well-known among the Cadets from his work in the original "1492," and who later traveled with a singing company for months, has signed with Felix Morris for the next season. Mr. Bubier has a good deal of natural talent for acting. His dancing in the May bud dance at the pagant added particularly to that graceful feature.

The following are the officers of the American Council, R. A.: Regent, N. A. Knapp; Vice-Regent, F. B. Browning; Orator, Charles A. Lane; Post Regent, James E. Corey; Secretary, Warren F. Foster; Treasurer, A. F. Howell; Guide, H. B. Glover; Chaplain, F. E. H. Heath; C. H. Symmes; Sentry, Frank H. Swan; Representative to Grand Council, J. E. Corey; Alternate, Newton A. Knapp; Trustees, C. A. Lane, John G. Hovey, Henry Nickerson.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Congregational church have chosen the following officers: President, W. L. Palmer; Vice-President, Andrew Gilchrist; Recording Secretary, Arthur Swett; Corresponding Secretary, Miss Emma Greeley; Treasurer, W. D. Erskine; Look-out Committee, Miss Jennie Goodell, Merrick Parker, Geo. Currier, Miss Elizabeth Hinds, Miss Annie H. Fuller; Prayer-Meeting Committee, Mrs. A. W. Taylor, Geo. Barron, Miss Florence Richardson, Miss Leslie Taylor, H. D. Smith; Flower and Visiting Committee, Mrs. Andrew Gilchrist, Miss Hattie Cowdrey, Miss Eugenia Elliott, Ralph Redfern, Miss Louise Taylor; Social Committee, George B. Walker, Mrs. M. A. Gage, E. N. Lovering, Miss Lillie Richardson, Robert Coit; Good Literature Committee, Miss Emily Rolfe, Miss Viola McEllish, Clarence Ordway, Miss Annie Stinson, Benson Parker; Missionary Committee, Miss M. E. Patton, Miss Elizabeth Labaree, Brainard Rowe, Miss Lizzie Redfern, Sidney Snow.

I have been gathering up a few real estate notes in Winchester recently and the result is surprising. Although it is midwinter and cold at that there is a tremendous land boom here and it is growing. Within a few weeks 22 residence lots have been sold on and near Highland Ave. in the north-eastern part of the town and one of the conditions of each sale is that a dwelling costing not less than \$5,000 shall be erected on the lot sold. This is as it should be and insures residences of which the people may well be proud. The old Luther and Samuel Richardson estates that were taken up by the first Woburn Richardson 250 years ago and have been in the family ever since, passed out of the name last week and are now being plotted for residences. It is remarkable. J. H. Winn and son bought an acre of land near their home a few days ago and paid for it \$800, while the son paid \$800 for a lot on which he will soon build a fine house. Mr. J. H. Winn says there have been more sales of real estate in Winchester in the last month than in the previous 20 years. Small's Addition to Winchester is also booming, and when spring opens there will be the greatest rush for house lots in Winchester ever seen in the vicinity of Boston.

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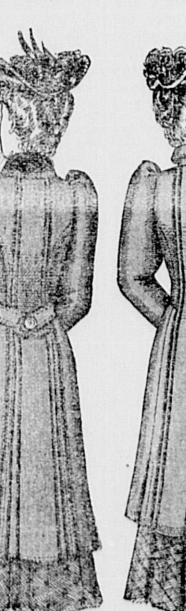
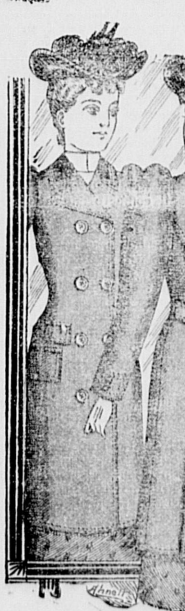
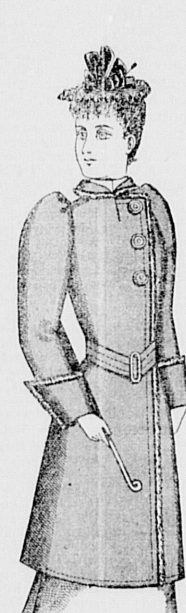
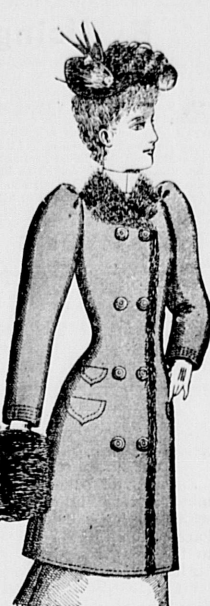
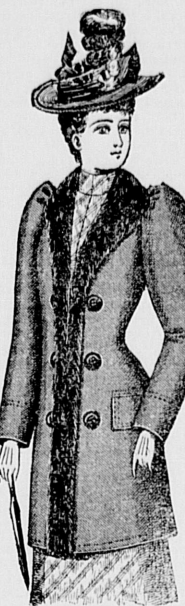
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THE JOURNAL is for sale at the stores of Sparrow Horton, 105 Main Street, Charles R. Brown, 108 Main Street, John Cummings, 201 North Main Street, Samuel E. Wyman, W. A. Hanson, North Woburn, and at G. P. Brown's Winchester.

SPECIAL NOTICE.
All advertisements to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

A CRUEL LAW PROPOSED.

Legislative proceedings show that the erratic Henry Faxon is getting in some of his fine work against the "drunk" law so-called, but it is to be hoped that there is too much good sense left among the members to adopt his wild vagaries and inhuman demands.

Last week a bill was introduced in the Senate, at Faxon's suggestion no doubt, which if enacted into law would be a disgrace to the State. It provides for the arrest without a warrant of intoxicated persons; for a fine of \$15 or imprisonment for 30 days if it is not proved that the accused has been convicted of a like offense within the next preceding 12 months; that County Commissioners, or Commissioners of Public Institutions in Suffolk County, may release persons so sentenced when they think it expedient; for a second offense with 12 months a fine up to \$200 or imprisonment up to six months; the Police, Municipal and District Courts and Trial Justices shall have concurrent jurisdiction with the Superior Court of such cases.

The proposition to pass a law so cruel and inhuman ought to be and will be the indignation and receive the condemnation of everyone acquainted with the power of the drink habit over its victims, and it is our opinion that the Legislature will hesitate a long time before they consent to inflict such punishment on the poor inebriate for what he cannot help while they allow the one who accomplished his ruin to go off scot free.

SENATOR LODGE.

The election of Hon. Henry Cabot Lodge to the United States Senate by the Legislature was in accordance with the wishes and expectations of nearly the entire Republican party of the State. No other aspirant stood the ghost of a chance of getting the place for the Legislature were no less earnest for Mr. Lodge's election than were their constituents at home.

To speak it plain, there is no other man in the Commonwealth so well fitted in all ways for the high position as Mr. Lodge is. He is a statesman of the best material and grade. He has the brains, education, breadth of view, social standing, money and blood that go to make the ideal Senator, and Massachusetts has greatly honored herself by promoting him from the House to the Senate.

DEATH OF EX-PRESIDENT HAYES.

The dangerous illness of Ex-President Rutherford B. Hayes was reported in the public prints on Tuesday, and the Wednesday morning papers announced his death at Fremont, Ohio, of angina pectoris, or acute rheumatism of the heart, at 11 o'clock Tuesday night.

He was 70 years old last October, and was President of the United States from March 4, 1877 to March 4, 1881. He was a good man and lived a useful life.

RESIGNED.

The Boston papers have hounded Warden Lovering of the Charlestown State Prison so long and persistently that unable to endure it any longer, he has resigned. But then, he was never really fit for the place.

Major H. C. Hall from this Representative District was appointed by the Speaker a member of the Committee to represent the House at the funeral of General Butler at Lowell last Monday.

Hon. Rufus R. Wade, Chief of the Massachusetts District Police, will please accept our thanks for a copy of his report for 1892. It is a valuable public document.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.
Gregory's Sore Throat Remedy.
A. O. F. H. Insurance.
Frank Jones—Entertainment.

The days have increased in length 31 minutes.

Brown's glass marked 6 above yesterday morning.

Bonelli is selling blankets, dress, and other staple goods very cheap.

Shawheen Tribe of Red Men gave a grand ball last Wednesday evening.

It was 2 above Wednesday morning—6 milder than the former mornings.

Mr. Charlie Taylor of Pleasant St. has been quite ill, but is now better.

The cake walk by our colored brethren next week will be worth taking note of.

Mrs. Jennie Greenleaf of No. Berwick, Me., is visiting relatives in this city.

Si Perkins is coming to town next Wednesday evening with his threshing machine.

At 5.30, A. M. Tuesday it was 4 below zero; at 7, 1 below; at 10, 12 above.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Elliott have gone to Florida to remain during the coldest of the winter.

Buss's glycerine for chapped hands, lips, etc., is sold by Goodwin & Higley. It is a cure-all.

"Muldons' Picnic" drew a big house last Saturday night and was highly enjoyed by all present.

David of Somerville is filling the Carter ice houses at Richardson's Mill with a good quality of product.

The election of city officers will probably take place next week. Many candidates are on the anxious seats.

—Let's see, who was it that said the other day that our fire alarm is all right? How was it yesterday morning?

—What possesses the boys to keep all the time pestering officer French? Why can't they let him alone? It's too bad.

—The JOURNAL's candidate got snowed under in Ward 6 last Monday. But then, there are exceptions to all general rules.

—We are indebted to Mr. John H. Carter of Wilmington, builder and lumber dealer, for a very neat 1893 calendar. Thanks.

—Some think D. F. Moreland, Esq., will make in the permissiveness in the City Clerk contest. It would be funny if he should get it.

—We wouldn't take a farm in Argyle for the pencil-sharpener bought of Mr. M. Downs the other day if we couldn't get another one.

—It is said that heating of the Armory is next to impossible. In the same connection it is claimed that there is a screw loose somewhere.

—Whist is having a great run this winter in fashionable circles in this city. Parties are of frequent occurrence at the residences of the elite.

—Gilman F. Jones, Dr. Frank W. Graves, George W. Nichols, and others of Woburn attended the funeral of General Butler last Monday.

—Dr. Seth W. Kelley says the present is a healthy winter. There are but few cases of grip and they are the grippe instead of the genuine article.

—Mr. Alvah J. Foster has fully recovered from the effect of a violent attack of bleeding at the nose in which he came very near dying two weeks ago.

—The many Winchester friends of Charlie A. Jones of Woburn will be pleased to hear of his election to the Auditorship of Woburn.—Winchester Star.

—Gateman Brown's glass indicated only 2 above last Monday morning. For four weeks it went pretty close to the zero notch. But it has been very healthy weather.

—Although there are more sleighing parties there seems to be less tin horn music this season than formerly. Is it possible that the tin horn has been relegated to the back seat?

—Having about finished filling his own house Frank Nichols and his men are doing the same for Goodrich, Nicholas and Goodrich both will have houses brimful of splendid ice.

—Last Thursday night was the 90th in succession that Mr. Simeon Weymouth had sat up with and nursed Mr. Elijah Wyman, who has been very ill, but is now on the mend.

—The Past Officers Association will give their annual party in Lyceum Hall on the evening of Jan. 26. Of course, as usual, it will be a swell affair. Fine music has been engaged for the occasion.

—The Christmas number of *Wide Awake*—magnificent issue, by the way—contained a beautiful little poem from the pen of our gifted townsman, Miss Hannah R. Hudson, entitled "Little Brother."

—It looks as though Dr. D. F. Murphy is the coming City Physician.

In the long run it don't pay to be an offensive partisan, as the civil service people used to call it. Dr. Murphy is a popular physician and man.

—Miss Emily F. Pollard's report of the condition of the Warren Academy Industrial School in behalf of the subcommittee is a good one. The school is a pronounced success. The corps of teachers employed wouldn't be likely to make it anything else.

—Capt. C. P. Jayne and lady entertained Rev. D. M. Wilson of Boston at their home, No. 70 High Street, last Sunday when he occupied the pulpit of the Unitarian Church. He was the officiating clergyman at the funeral of General Butler at Lowell last Monday.

—Owners of livery stables have been enjoying a rich harvest for two or three weeks past. At 7 o'clock last Saturday evening not a sleigh could be hired in this city for love or money, and on other nights things have been about the same. Great times for sleighing!

—Auctioneer Gregory advertises an important auction sale in this paper to which we call particular attention. It will be seen that a large amount of valuable goods will be sold, and these chances will do well to be on hand early and remain through the sale.

—Mr. Alonzo L. Perham installed the officers of Miles Standish Colony of Pilgrim Fathers of Stoneham last Tuesday evening. He was accompanied to our pleasant and thrifty suburb by a large number of Brewster Colony of this city. The Stoneham colonists made it very pleasant for all hands.

—Mr. Henry F. Davis, junior member of the firm, says J. T. Freeman & Co., builders of mill, leather, brewery and other machinery and general machinists, have been doing a very satisfactory business all the fall and winter. We like such reports for it indicates a prosperous state all around.

—An advertisement of the A. O. F. H. appears in this paper and is worthy of immediate attention. Responsible parties are at the helm, and careful investigators say this Order is among the soundest and very best. It has a home charter which is all in its favor. Look at the advertisement at the advertisement.

—We have received from our old friend and former fellow citizen, Mr. Dean Dudley, a copy of the "Memorial Reunion of the Descendants of Governor Thomas Dudley," of which he is the compiler, for which he will please accept our thanks. We remember he was sent to England by descendants of the famous family many years ago to trace out the Dudley race and that he wrote and published the result of his researches in a large book his return to this country. He is the recognized historian of the Dudley family.

—Yesterday we had a pleasant call from Mrs. C. H. Mentzer (nee Harris) of Northboro, Mass. She was in good health and spirits and happy.

—Mr. Amos Cummings yesterday began a series of mark-down cloak sales and will continue the same until his large and desirable stock is exhausted. There never was a time in the history of Woburn when ladies cloaks could be bought so cheap as now, thanks be to the business enterprise and sagacity of Mr. Cummings.

—In "The Boston Globe's" Grand Columbian World's Fair contest" Nellie L. Sheehan of this city stood at the head in the Teacher's department last Wednesday evening with 1165 votes to her credit. Dora T. Fuller also of this city had 460, and Mary E. Briggs, 257. The pupils of several of the city schools are putting in big ticks for their favorite teachers.

—The Salvation Army will give grand anniversary demonstrations on Wednesday and Thursday evenings, Jan. 25, 26, at their Hall, for which excellent musical talent has been secured. The object is to raise funds to carry on Christian work here and is deserving of a liberal patronage by our people. The concerts will be of the best kind too.

—Next Wednesday evening Frank Jones, everywhere known as "Si Perkins," will give "Our Country Cousin" at Lyceum Hall, as will be seen by the notice of it in our news columns. "Si" has been in Woburn before and crowded enjoyed his play and playing to the fill. Who that has seen it can ever forget that thrilling machine and the way "Si" ran it.

—On next Thursday evening, Jan. 26, Rev. Dr. March will give one of the most interesting entertainments in the Y. M. C. A. course. The Doctor's lecture will be profusely and beautifully illustrated with stereopticon views of the scenes and objects described which will render the lecture in the highest degree entertaining. Read the Committee's notice in another column.

—One of the most recent entertainments given in the Y. M. C. A. course was that by "The Kidder-Trip Recitals" last Thursday evening week. None of them have been more heartily enjoyed or more handsomely complimented by an audience. Mr. Kidder and Mr. Trip are real artists in their line, and a better bill than that which they give the public it would be hard to make up.

—Several of the most prominent gentlemen of this city have lately identified themselves with the work of the Committee of One Hundred and made liberal contributions towards carrying it on. We were asked to withhold their names, but if we care to give them it would be a very gratifying surprise to the community. The work of the Committee is a good one and seems to succeed.

—Captain J. H. Symonds of this city, Editor and proprietor of the *Updelters* of New York, attended the annual dinner of the American Furniture Association at Chicago on Jan. 11, and responded to the toast: "Ethics of the Furniture Trade," an extended report of which appeared in the Chicago papers the next day. The Captain can tell about Furniture in a way to interest people who hear him.

—Mr. Amos B. Harris died at his home on Court St., last Monday after a week's illness aged 73 years. He left a widow and other relatives and many old acquaintances to mourn his death. He was a New Englander, and came to Woburn some 40 years ago, and has lived here ever since. For a long time he carried on the business of a baker with success and was well known as such in all the towns about Woburn.

—The Ladies Charitable Society of the Unitarian Church have elected the following officers for the year ensuing: President, Mrs. A. M. Winn; Vice-Presidents, Mrs. S. Almira Ramsdell, Mrs. Charles W. Aldrich, Secretary, Mrs. Isabel W. Littlefield, Treasurer, Miss Annie Wood; Directors, Mrs. Mary A. Leeds, Mrs. Katherine Richards, Mrs. Jeannette Davis, Mrs. Etta Grammer, Mrs. Lucy Clewley, Mrs. Sarah Simonds.

—The lecture by Edwin D. Mead on Tuesday evening in the Burben Course was well attended and proved quite satisfactory to the intelligent audience. James Russell Lowell was his theme and it must be confessed that once in awhile the lecturer was just a bit dry. But then, Lowell was something dry himself and therefore to expect nothing but juice from Mr. Mead's lips when talking about him was unreasonable. Mr. Mead is a noted platform orator, and cultured Boston think there is hardly anybody his equal.

—We had an idea we would hear from him sooner or later, and so indeed we have. It was neighbor Fred A. Hartwell from whom we were expecting a word. He is spending the winter with a favored brother in a large lodge down in Florida where are raised the best, biggest and sweetest oranges in that famous orange country, and from the most reliable information at hand we conclude he is enjoying life to the brim. Neighbor Hartwell can do that and not half try give him the tools.—With word from him came for the JOURNAL Editor a great bag of the finest oranges that grow anywhere, for which neighbor H. will may be entirely sure that he has our thanks.

—The jurors drawn to try the famous rooster case last evening were John P. Delaney, E. Prior, William F. Kenney of the Boston Globe; A. A. Ferris, Inspector of Public Buildings and Chief Engineer of Fire Department; Richard Morris, John I. Munroe, the well known Woburn and Boston Real Estate Agent; W. Frank Fowle; Capt. Horace N. Conn, the Insurance Agent; Col. Edward J. Gregory, the popular Insurance Agent and Real Estate Broker; Jacob A. Ham, Esq., Alderman; and Benjamin A. Tripp.

We go to press too early on Friday morning to do justice to the great criminal trial, which afforded more genuine fun than anything that has struck Woburn in the last half century. It beats them all.

—Mr. Edward Simonds was recalled by City Messenger with very little opposition last week. For several years he has filled the bill admirably. He has always been faithful in the

discharge of public duties wherever placed—indeed he couldn't be anything else if he tried. Woburn ought to do by Mr. Simonds as Chelsea did by her City Messenger. He had held it 35 years at the end of whom we said he was 80 years old. That was last year, and he sent in his resignation. The City would not except it, and not only re-elected him, but elected an Assistant Messenger to help him out. They mean to retain the old officer as long as he lives. We think that is what Woburn ought to do for Mr. Simonds. He will be 73 years old to-morrow, and a life membership in his present office would not be a bad present to make him.

—Mr. I. E. Williams, formerly of this city, is permanently and prosperously established at No. 48 Congress St., Boston, in the real estate, mortgages and business investments business. While he resided in Woburn, and was a member of the mercantile firm of Williams & Williams, he made many good friends, and he will be glad to learn that he is so favorably established. Mrs. Williams too was very popular in this community and many regretted the removal of the family to Boston. Mr. Williams is one of the squarest and most reliable men anywhere. His word and bond are both good. He is careful, has good judgment, has experience, and his fact our readers would confer by his engagement to transact any business for them of the character in which he is engaged they cannot do better than to go to Mr. Williams for counsel and assistance.

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Boston Theatres.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE.

With the presentation of the recent comedy drama success, "She Couldn't Marry Three" at the Grand Opera House, Boston, next week, the management of that theatre will have given to its patrons three new, bright and sparkling plays in succession. The two which have preceded next week's attraction have been plays of high standard and they have been very liberally patronized. "She Couldn't Marry Three" is most assuredly a peculiar name for a stage drama, but it will be satisfactorily explained and analyzed by that charmingly beautiful little artist, Miss Lillian Kennedy and her excellent company, next week at this theatre.

THE BOSTON.

"Babies in the Wood" is in its 11th week and interest in this play seems on the increase rather than decrease. The only reason given for a first class performance and the extra attraction Vanoni and the grand ballet is the only explanation, as this play is indeed a wonderful production. The scenery and costumes have never been equalled.

THE PARK.

"A Temperance Town" is indeed a wonderful drawing card as this popular house is filled at each performance and the characters of this play are well taken as all who make up the cast have become favorites during their stay at the Park. The comments of the press are unnecessary to fill the popular house as the sign standing room only can be seen nightly.

THE TREMONT.

"Niobe," the delightful comedy by the brothers Harry and Edward Paulson, will be performed Monday evening at the Tremont theatre. The return of this bright play with Abbott & Scott's excellent company will be a great satisfaction to theatre goers in Boston and suburbs. The piece has been performed 1000 times under the present management. "Niobe" has been improved although it did not seem possible to do so, but such is the fact. The company is headed by Miss Isabelle Cue who is well and favorably known.

THE HOWDON SQUARE.

On Monday next begins the engagement of Charles H. Yale's big spectacle, the new "Devils Auction." The patrons of the Bowdoin Square theatre will hail with delight the production of this spectacular play. The scenery is grand and some wonderful effects are produced during the evening. The cast contains some well known favorites and the engagement of one week will not seem time in the time when the same play with the buildings thereon, situated in said Melrose, namely:—A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon and comprising a part of lot number 22 on a plan of lands at said Melrose surveyed for the Home Association in lands by D. A. Sargent, dated December 1st, 1889, and recorded with Middlesex (South District) Book of Records No. 7, Plan No. 41, and bounded as follows, viz.:—Beginning at the easterly side of Second street, at the dividing line between lots numbered 223 and 221, on said plan; thence northerly on said lot numbered 223, 124.00 feet to lot numbered 220 on said plan; thence westerly on said lot No. 223, 50 feet; thence southerly, 124.00 feet to said Second street; thence easterly on said Second street, 50 feet to the point of beginning, containing about 6,250 square feet of land; and on said 31st day of December, D. 1892, I, said Charles H. Yale, the foregoing described real estate, the record to which is filed in the name of Francis S. Hesselton, Trustee.

THE HOLLS.

W. M. H. Crane and his admirable company in "The American Minister" can only be seen to-night and twice to-morrow as his last week of his engagement at the Hollis will be devoted to "The Senator." Mr. Crane's impersonation of "The Senator" is world wide and no comment is needed from the press as Mr. Crane's ability is a decided success and those who would witness this famous actor for the last time this year should apply early for seats.

BOSTON MUSEUM.

It was a notable first night at the Museum last Monday evening. Manager Field presented, for the first time in America, an English farce, "Faithful James," which has won great success in London, and for the first time on any stage a new play called "Good-Bye," by Miss Margarette Merington, author of "Capt. Lettibrain." The play was beautifully staged, and the three acts were seen on the Museum stage for a long time.

AUSTIN'S PALACE THEATRE.

The great spectacular company, known as the "Imperial Follies," began an engagement of one week at Austin's Palace theatre Monday, and played to the full capacity of the house both in the afternoon and in the evening. The show is of a right merry order, and created almost endless laughter and applause. The girls of the company are young and pretty, and appear in dazzling costumes, in their marches, choruses, etc.

Burlington.

The next entertainment in the Y. P. S. C. E. course will be a concert, Jan. 24, by talent from Boston, Andover and elsewhere.

Rev. C. F. Hersey will be ordained at the church Wednesday, Jan. 25, at two o'clock in the afternoon. The Council meet at ten o'clock in the morning.

The second Concert of the Y. P. S. C. E. lecture and entertainment course will be given Tuesday evening, Dec. 29, and will consist of vocal music and select readings etc.

Burlington is the abode of many old time "Butterflies" who sincerely mourn the death of the great statesman and soldier, who was above and beyond all, a true lover of humanity and a friend of his fellow-men.

Friday is a luckier day than Saturday. Especially to get over a cough on. Because it is a day sooner. Use Adamson's Botanic Cough Balsam and stop that barking within a week.

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A Complaint.

Woburn, January 11th, 1893.
EDITOR OF THE WOBURN JOURNAL.—Why is it that the School Committee do nothing to remedy the present bad condition of things in the High School? Parents have repeatedly complained to members of the Committee and Superintendent of Schools that their children are doing as well as they should in that school, and several articles have been printed in the Boston papers complaining of the condition of things, but nothing has as yet been done to find out what the trouble is nor how to remedy it. Do the School Committee intend to ignore the righteous indignation of the public, or are they indifferent to the wants of the High School? If the High School is doing all that can properly be expected of it, the Committee should say so immediately and thus set at rest the anxiety of those interested. If the school is not doing good work, and if any of the teachers are incompetent or not up to modern methods, their places should be filled by those who are. Woburn demands the best and nothing short of this in our schools will be accepted by the people. The present do-nothing attitude of the Committee has caused the deepest dissatisfaction and it is to be hoped that something will be done at once, and not force the people to hold an indignation meeting. The public have rights which the School Committee are bound to respect.

(Signed) [Our correspondent will only exercise a little patience his desire to hear something from the School Board concerning the High School will soon be fully gratified. The Board are prosecuting a thorough investigation of all matters concerning the School and due time will be made a public report that will satisfy everybody interested.—Ed. JOURNAL.]

Harris's Rural Annual, 1893.

This handsome publication will be found of great utility in making selections of garden, flower and field seeds for use the coming spring for it not only enumerates and describes everything in that line but points out where the best can be obtained at the most reasonable prices. The publishers have a country-wide reputation for raising and furnishing superior seeds and also for fair dealing.

Market Gardeners and all who want the best seeds direct from the grower, should send for "Harris's Rural Annual" for 1893. It is sent free to all applicants, and is well worth reading. Address Joseph Harris Co., Moreton Farm, Monroe Co., N. Y.

The series of articles on The Development of American Industries since Columbus will be resumed in The Popular Science Monthly for February, with an opening paper on The Glass Industry by Prof. C. Hanford Henderson, in which the history of glass-making during colonial times is traced.

A German scientist learnedly discussed the question of driving a tunnel through the earth from Berlin to Chicago, through which and by means of gravitation alone the journey between the two places could be quickly and comfortably made. He expressed a decided opinion that the scheme is physically possible.

The Hindoos worship the cow as an incarnation of Lakshmi, the wife of Vishnu, the holy, beautiful and pure ideal of woman, who rose, like Aphrodite, out of the sea.

An old married couple in Porter county, Ind., are said not to have spoken to each other for twenty-five years, though they live in the same house and eat at the same table.

WINCHESTER.

A West Side Sunday barge has been put on for the good of the public.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Winn have gone to California for health and recreation.

We are all glad to hear that Mrs. Elder, wife of Lawyer S. J. Elder, is out of danger and on the high road to perfect health.

It is currently reported that Mr. N. A. Richardson will retire from the office of Superintendent of Streets at the close of the present official year.

Mr. John L. Ayer and Miss Rebecca R. Holbrook will be united in the holy bonds of matrimony on Jan. 25. Bride and groom-elect, please accept congratulations.

The hose house on the West Side was burned the other night. It was no doubt set on fire. There are a few tough customers left in this town, and for some of them a humpen cord is already dangling in mid-air.

James Cullen of the Sand Bank was frozen to death at Russell's Hill near Cross street last week. It is said that a bottle of Volturn "40 rods" was found near him. It is a wonder he lived to reach Cross street.

The town authorities have offered a reward of \$500 for the arrest and conviction of the person or persons who set fire to the West Side hose house. There are firebugs in town, but whether the fuss in the Fire Department has anything to do with it or not I can't say.

The officers of the Congregational church for 1893 are: Clerk, F. B. Browning; Treasurer, W. D. Middleton; Standing Committee, E. L. Barnard, A. S. Hall, C. E. Redfern; Collectors, T. H. Stinson; Auditors, C. E. Sweet, E. H. Stone. Appropriations for 1893: \$5,150.

The Baptist Society of Winchester, elected the following named officers: Clerk, E. B. Palmer; Treasurer, Elton Caldwell; Church Committee, E. B. Palmer and S. B. Church; Deacons, A. B. Vinton and Charles E. Redfern; Library and Sunday School, E. B. Browning; Assistant, George F. Halton; Secretary, F. H. Heath.

Bowling (ten-pins). I am sorry to be compelled to confess, has become a "craze" in this town. Almost everybody has the bowling fever more or less severe. Some people quite well along in years have caught it, and about all you can hear now is bowling language. Quarrel? No! But then it is just like Winchester for all the world.

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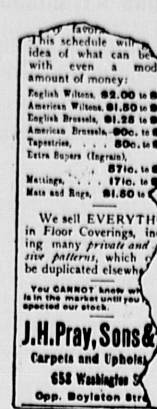
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PROBATE COURT.

To the next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Charles L. Skinner, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, to-wit:

WHEREAS, application has been made to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate not already administered of said deceased to John W. Johnson, of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, and to exempt him from giving surety or securities on his bond pursuant to statute;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the second Tuesday of February, 1893, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against granting the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the Woburn Journal, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-fourth day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.

S. H. FOLSOM, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Patrick McKenna, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, to-wit:

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate by Philip McKenna, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, and that he may be exempt from giving a surety or securities on his bond pursuant to statute;

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Boston Theatres.

THE BOWDOIN SQUARE.

Next Monday there will be a grand revival of that ever popular play, "Hazel Kirk," with Edie Kister in the title role supported by C. W. Coublock and a superb company. Many new features have been added to this popular play and the entire new scenery and properties a fine performance is promised. "The Devils Auction" will bid farewell with the Saturday evening performance.

THE GLOBE.

On last Monday evening Mr. Francis Wilson began what gives every promise of being a successful engagement in a new comic opera. This opera is "The Lion Tamer," and it was made known to players at the Globe theatre, its production marking Mr. Wilson's return after an absence of two years. "The Lion Tamer" is a gorgeous play, in the getting up of which expense has been left entirely out of the question. Among its brilliant features are the assembly of the circus and the real circus parade which is shown in the last act, both of which are examples of elaborate staging.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE.

Next week's attraction at the Grand Opera House will be a notable dramatic event in more respects than one. The play is a new one and it will introduce Mr. Carroll Johnson, who in Irish roles has started the country with great success. "The Irish Statesman" will be superbly staged with new scenery and properties throughout.

THE PARK.

It was souvenir night at the Park theatre last Monday. "A Temperance Town" having counted up 50 performances at this theatre, and in celebration of the occasion, Manager J. A. Crabtree and Messrs. Hoyt & Thoms presented every coupon holder with a handsome remembrance. The theatre was packed. Hoyt's "A Temperance Town" is now completing its 5th week and Monday next begins the third month.

THE HOLLS.

Next Monday will begin the engagement of John Drew in "The Masked Ball." Efforts are being made to make this production one of the events of the season. The cast includes many well known favorites. An early application for seats is advised as the large advance sale indicates full houses. The engagement of William H. Crane in "The Senator" will close with Saturday matinee and evening performances.

THE COLUMBIA.

"Lady Windermere's Fan" is a decided success at the Columbia. Mr. Palmer's company gave a very fine performance but special mention should be made of Mrs. Bowers as the gossip matchmaker in which she made a decided hit. Next week will be the last of A. M. Palmer's Stock Company.

THE BOSTON.

"Babies in the Wood" are now on the last two weeks of the engagement. The 100th performance will be celebrated by another of Manager Tompkins' elegant souvenirs. The popularity of this play has been wonderful and the Boston (one of the largest theatres in this country) has been filled at each evening performance.

BOSTON MUSEUM.

"Good Bye" is now on its second week at the popular Museum and is fast growing in favor. Miss Merrington has made an interesting story and "Good Bye" in the hands of the Museum Company will afford an evening of rare enjoyment. As a curtain raiser "Faithful James" has become very popular here, and the double bill will be attraction until further notice.

THE TREMONT.

"Niobe" was the attraction last Monday night and the delightful comedy captured the patrons of this popular house. The first act is full of humor, the second full of fun, and the third a repetition of the first and second. Miss Cox whose impersonation of the recreated wife of Amphion was as near perfect as human skill could make it. "Niobe" will be the attraction next week only.

AUSTIN'S PALACE THEATRE.

The Marie Sanger Royal Burlesque company organized in New Orleans and now seen for the first time in New England is the next attraction at Austin's Palace theatre in Boston. The organization will be seen in the extravagant burlesque "A Heavenly Time" with a special array of comedians, handsome scenery, brilliant costumes, etc.

THEY DON'T AGREE.

Stoneham is growing again about their street car service. Supp. Sewell, one of the most efficient men in the business, comes in for a big share of their malcontents, but it probably will not also him of new line. Stoneham is much happy only when grumbling over the alleged short-comings of the East Middlesex road or something else. They are chronic fault finders, and the worst of it is their newspapers aid and abet this reprehensible habit of theirs.—Woburn Journal.

Wind, wind, brother Hobbs. All wind. The Aries talks to some purpose, and Supp. Sewell understands that the press only voices the sentiment of the people. He has placed on over a dozen cars to run from Central Square to Melrose Highlands to connect with trains, and vice versa.—Stoneham News.

Brother Hobbs is way off in his statements concerning the above and says things that are utterly false. The Independent has never said ought against the road. But the Woburn people have to bear such from this chronic-kicking editor.—Stoneham Independent.

Written solely with a view of correcting some faults in the conduct of our esteemed Stoneham contemporaries we were surprised that the little item should have had the effect on their temper which it evidently did. The Independent appeared to be particularly ruffled. The News tried to laugh it off.

But the good people of Woburn's neat little suburb have been fully accommodated by Supp. Sewell and ought now to be very very happy.

He Ate of the Banquet.

The annual banquet of the Massachusetts agents of the Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York took place last week at the Parker House, Boston.

The Mutual Life has assets of over one hundred and fifty million dollars.

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Policies to the amount of about half a million are held in Woburn.

Col. E. J. Gregory, the Company's Woburn representative, placed about one hundred thousand of new business last year. He attended the meeting and enjoyed the banquet at Parker's.

There are fifty-one living Cardinals, all except ten of whom were appointed by the present Pope.

From the American alo-tree is made threads, ropes, cables, paper, clothing, soap, sugar and brandy.

He got into the cars blowing like a porcupine. For a minute his coughing was awful. He took a nip from a bottle and coughed no more that trip. The label said Adamson's Botanic Cough Balsam.

In the 20 universities of the German Empire the medical students for last summer numbered 8,838.

Burlington.

The lecture by Rev. William Carey Barrows, Jan. 17, was very much enjoyed by all who attended.

The next lecture of the Y. P. S. C. E. Course will be given Tuesday evening, Jan. 31, by Mrs. M. E. S. Curtis on "Old Times in Burlington."

Miss Emma Richardson who has been ill with consumption for several months died at her home in Burlington on Saturday evening, Jan. 21.

Always delicate in health and of a gentle, retiring disposition, Miss Richardson's work in life was chiefly done in the seclusion of her home, where she has lived one of those beautiful, hidden lives that go so far to make up the sweetness of the world.

Her faithful ministrations to her aged father and the mother who has just "gone before" were truly deeds worthy the noblest. For several years she has had the care of the children of a deceased sister and has been a true mother to them.

Thoughtful and spiritual minded, she became a member of the church in Burlington in her childhood. Although embosomed by her Christian faith in the darkening days of failing health and strength, the deepest sympathy is felt for her father, brothers and sisters, and the little nephews who were in her charge.

Miss Richardson's funeral was held Tuesday afternoon. Rev. C. F. Hervey conducted the services. Among the floral tributes was a very beautiful one from the Sunday School.

Seldom has our community sustained such a loss as befell them in the death of Mrs. Mary B. Reed on Monday morning, Jan. 16. During her long life Mrs. Reed was closely identified with the interests of every benevolent enterprise in the church or town. Her heart was ever moved by the promptings of good and her hands were always ready to fulfill her generous impulses.

Although embosomed by advancing years and the effects of an illness which brought her near to the door of death a year ago, she still kept up an active interest in her work, and the news of her death came like a sad shock to her many friends, who could hardly believe that she had left forevermore the places that knew so well.

She was one of the oldest members of the church in Burlington and its welfare was ever dear to her heart. Her place at Divine worship was seldom vacant. Only a week before she died she was at the morning service, and the writer will always remember her kindly hand clasp and smile as they met at the church door.

Mrs. Reed was President of the Ladies Benevolent Society for about forty years. Such a period of faithful service in office is seldom known. Only those who were associated with her in that Society—which for many years, with limited numbers and means, has been a quiet power for good in the community—can rightly estimate the value of the work of the noble, Christian woman who entered, a few days ago, "into the joy of her Lord."

At the fiftieth anniversary of the Society the members presented her with a beautiful desk as a gift of remembrance, and a banquet was held in her honor. A few days before her death she was planning for the next meeting of the Society, Jan. 19, but before that time "she had taken up her crown and gone home."

It remains for those who are left to "close up the ranks" and make the work of the Society a fitting monument to her memory.

Mrs. Reed leaves one son, Mr. T. I. Reed, and three grandchildren. In her home she was the same active, industrious, faithful woman that she was in church and work. A true mother has been taken and there is deep mourning in the household.

While Deborah was Judge over Israel, it is written that "the land had rest forty years." What share of the unity and peace which has prevailed in the church of Burlington for a long period was due to the keen intellect, the remarkable executive ability and the true Christian benevolence of this beloved woman will never be known till the day when "the wise shall shine as the stars of the firmament."

M. E. S. C.

WINCHESTER.

Lyceum Building is going to be painted.

Mr. Emmons Hatch is teacher of our School for Carpentry.

Mr. A. F. Kendall and Miss Carrie Rounds are engaged to be married.

The Star says remarks: "Sausages are a mystery to those eating them." Nafed!

Mr. and Mrs. Josiah Locke were married on Jan. 5, 1893. They celebrated their Golden Wedding in a pleasant manner.

The Star says that "dates" galore are being made for the coming Town Meeting. I predict the liveliest meeting ever held in this town.

Mr. F. H. Nourse is doing a large business in Boston and Winchester in real estate and insurance. He is a perfectly reliable gentleman, and always satisfies those with whom he does business.

At an adjourned meeting of the First Baptist parish of Winchester, the following were appointed on the Standing Committee: George C. Danckels, Albert Ayer, F. V. Woster and H. E. Lingham. The usual appropriations were discussed and passed.

It is as good as settled that we are to have an electric street railroad to Arlington and probably one to Stoneham. A survey has been made for the former and \$40,000 of the necessary \$50,000 has been pledged by citizens of Winchester. The promoters are Winchester gentlemen. The construction of the contemplated roads will be a great thing for this town.

At a special meeting of the W. C. T. A. Society, held Thursday evening, it was voted to hold a debate twice a month. The first debate will take place Thursday evening, Feb. 2. The topic for discussion will be "Rapid transit between Winchester and Boston of the contemplated roads."

John Lyons will oppose each other and Rev. Fr. Walsh will act as judge.

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HE LOOKED LIKE ARTHUR.

How a "Double" Made Lots of Enemies for President Arthur.

"There are about 10,000 people in this land of the free now telling their children how they shook hands with President Arthur who are harboring a delusion," said Mr. Al Denham at the Lindell. "President Arthur was the man who looked like me. Even men who knew the president intimately sometimes mistook me for him, and I probably got him into no end of trouble by promising fat offices to the multitudinous hangers-on at Washington.

"I was coming down Pennsylvania avenue one day when a big fellow from Missouri tackled me. He had come on three months before to beg for a marshaling or something, and I had sent him home with the promise that his commission should come back to him. He called on the president, but Mr. Arthur protested that he had promised him nothing. He expostulated, and the president explained to him that he had a 'double' in town who was making life a burden for him.

"When the big Missourian swooped down upon me I saw that he had blood in his eye. I divined the situation at once. He came up and shook his fist in my face and expressed a fervent desire to 'chaw' me up. I got on my dignity at once and would have preferred to get on the Washington monument and pull the steps up after me, but hadn't time. I told him I was not responsible for the wretched practical jokes of the man who looked like me and cautioned him not to assault the chief magistrate of the nation.

"You're not the president," he shouted. "I left the president only an hour ago." "Certainly, I remember your visit very well. I thought I had explained the situation to you," I replied with all the coolness I could assume. He looked completely beat. He apologized for having not let me up against him. I freely forgive him, told him he was an honest fellow, and hinted that he would go home and behave himself. I might make him postmaster at St. Joe. He made a bee line for the depot, and I felt relieved. —St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

A Hint for Detectives.

There is another little hatchet story going the rounds that in its way is almost as good as the time honored one in which the fortunes of his country figures so prominently.

Some time after the Borden murder, when all the world was wondering where the hatchet could possibly be with which the deed, so it was believed, had been committed, General Butler was traveling by rail, and this particular topic came up for discussion in the course of conversation.

Close to the eminent lawyer was a reporter, although the general knew it not, though it would probably not have made any difference, as he usually says what he thinks without fear or favor.

"Where could the hatchet be?" "Some thought in the air, others in the earth, and still others in the waters that are under the earth—in fact every possible place was named by some one.

At length Butler spoke. "I can tell you just where that hatchet is. It was with great deliberation." "Where?" asked two or three at once, for the general's opinions always carry great weight.

"It will never be found until the murderer dies, for he or she swallowed it." "Why don't the police work on this hint?"—Boston Herald.

War Secretaries.

The office of secretary of war was established on Aug. 7, 1789. The first holder of the office was General Henry Knox, of Massachusetts. He was thirty-nine years old when appointed. He was one of the Andre court martial, served with Washington in Yorktown, and arranged the details for the evacuation of New York city with Guy Carleton. During the first half century of the republic's existence New York frequently furnished the war department with its chief, but since 1845 there has been but one New York secretary of war, General Schofield, who served only for a short time. He was, when appointed, a resident of the Virginia military district, though a native of New York. During his first term Mr. Cleveland had a Massachusetts secretary of war, the first to hold that place since the close of Madison's term.—Exchange.

Jay Gould's Early Business Tact.

To show Mr. Gould's shrewd business tact Mr. Woolhiser said: "Jay proved himself a sharp business boy. He had a habit of getting old pocketknives, much the worse for wear, and giving to a person whom he knew to own a fairly good knife he would say, 'I'll swap knives unsight, unseen with you.' If the man or lad did not know Gould he would trade and in nine cases out of ten would get much the worst of the bargain."—New York World.

Thoughtfulness.

It was a Connecticut girl who married a telegraph operator, "so that when man died it wouldn't cost anything to telegraph the news to her uncle's folks in Ohio."—Buffalo News.

A Resignation.

A postmaster in Iowa recently sent the following pathetic resignation to the postmaster general:

"I have had the honor and pleasure to receive the mail from Kookak by means of horseback, afoot, my own wagon, and finally from the railroad train, from the days of Lincoln to Harrison. I have distributed the same to Irish, German, English, Scotch, Swedes, Norwegians, and Danes and Dutch creditably, I believe, to the government and satisfaction to the Republicans, Democrats, Grangers, Greenbackers, Prohibitionists and lastly to Alliancers, or I would have long since lost my head. Good-by, Uncle Sam, for I must now leave your service.—Postal Record.

The newspapers of today print better illustrations than did the magazines twenty years ago.

The famous "Labyrinth of Egypt" contained 300 rooms or chambers and twelve halls.

TWO ANOINTED ONES.

LESSON V, FIRST QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, JAN. 29.

Text of the Lesson, Zech. iv, 1-10—Memory Verses, 5-7—Golden Text, Zech. iv, 6—Commentary by the Rev. D. M. Stearns.

1. "And the angel that talked with me came again and waked me, as a man that is wakened out of his sleep." The mortal body can stand but little of joy or sorrow without refreshing sleep. Even on the mount of transfiguration and in the garden of Gethsemane, the most joyful and the most sorrowful events of Scripture, we see holy men asleep. As to an angel's touch see I Kings xix, 5, 7; Acts xii, 7; Dan. x, 10, and remember that they minister unto you if you are an heir of salvation (Heb. i, 14). A spiritual sleep or inability to grasp or even become interested very much in the things of God is greatly to be deplored, but is very common even among Christians. Cares and riches and pleasures of this life choke the word (Luke vii, 14). Following men instead of THE MAS, or depending upon ordinances instead of upon Him, tend to spiritual sleep (I Cor. iii, 1, 3). But see Rom. xii, 11; Eph. v, 14. Let us be wakened up by His Spirit to awaken us at any cost.

2. "And said unto me, What seest thou? And I said, I have looked, and behold, a candlestick all of gold." The prophet would think of the golden candlestick of the tabernacle and those of the temple, but the light of the Holy Spirit is a different light, which was God, in their midst. The prophet is here being taught that God dwells in the heart, and that the light of His presence is the only light that can save the soul from its present desolate condition. Not only shall he be cleansed and clothed as in the previous vision, but it shall be said to him, "Arise, shine; for thy light is come, and the glory of the Lord is risen upon thee." "The Lord shall see thee an ever-burning light, and thy God thy glory" (Isa. lx, 1, 2, 3).

3. "And two olive trees by it, one upon the right side of the bowl and the other upon the left side thereof." By reading verse 12 with verses 2 and 3 it would seem that the prophet saw a lampstand bearing seven lamps; a great central bowl having either one or seven pipes leading to each lamp; then on either side an olive tree, with a golden pipe from each tree to the central bowl. In other words, a self-feeding lampstand apart from any help of man.

4. "So I answered and spake to the angel that talked with me, saying, 'What are these, my Lord?' This question is repeated in verses 11 and 12 and answered in verse 14, and as those verses are not included in this lesson, the student is left to consider them. As without the oil there could be no light and without the trees no oil, we see the importance of this question and answer. What then is meant by the two anointed ones? The only classes of people anointed in Scripture are priests and kings (a prophet once). Jesus is the priest-king, and the oil of the Holy Spirit is the anointing. He was anointed by the Spirit of God, and the oil of the Holy Spirit is the anointing. He was anointed by the Spirit of God, and the oil of the Holy Spirit is the anointing.

5. "Then the angel that talked with me answered and said unto me, 'Knowest thou not what these be? And I said, No, my Lord.' See also verse 13. Confession of ignorance, combined with willingness to be taught, is a good attitude of soul, and where this is found God will send a teacher to the student. It is the oil of the Holy Spirit which is noted in the Scripture of Truth (Dan. x, 2). See the story of Cornelius and Peter and the angel in Acts x.

6. "This is the word of the Lord unto Zerubbabel, saying, 'Not by might nor by power, but by My Spirit, saith the Lord of hosts.' The word of the Lord is the power of God, but also as your personal king or lord or proprietor, you being ready to do what ever He may appoint.

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10. "For who hath despised the day of small things?" It is not the seen but the unseen that moves the believer, who like Moses, endures as seeing Him who is invisible (Heb. xi, 27; I Cor. iv, 17, 18). It is by the grace of God, and His word with us, that we are able to see Him who is invisible. He is not with us, but He is in us, and He is in the world, and He is in the power of His might (Eph. vi, 10). Be strong and work, for the Lord is with you (Isa. li, 4).

Recovers His Speech.

Alphonse Hempling, of Summit township, Butler Co., Penn., made an affidavit that his twelve-year-old son, who had had St. Vitus' Dance for twelve years, lost his speech, was completely cured after using three bottles of Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine, and also recovered his speech. Thousands testify to wonderful cures from using it for nervous diseases, dyspepsia, nervous debility, dullness, confusion of mind, headache, etc. Four doses of this Nervine cured Mrs. W. E. Burns, South Bend, Ind., who had been suffering with constant headache for three months. Trial bottle and elegant book free at the Buss Pharmacy, Goodwin and Higley.

"Do you move pianos?" he asked at the dray office. "Certainly." "Well, I want one moved, but I'm afraid it will be too hard a job for you." "Trust us for that sir; we know your number?" "711 Trump street—but you must understand, the piano is at 718."

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Their old Romans and barons and highwaymen, etc., stalk through the scene mouthing platitudes and "sentiments," whereas we may be quite certain that they occupied themselves usually in cheating, lying, cringing, stealing, scheming, dining, drinking, dissipating, working, gossiping, gaming and talking slang, just as men are doing in the streets, markets, public offices, theaters, etc., of Paris, London and New York today. And beneath all this action there was always a crude philosophy, classifying and analyzing both motives and actions.

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As a pale petal flower,

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My hands thy head beholding I would fain while I pray, "God keep thee in his leading Pure, flowerlike all day."—Heinrich Heine.

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"They'll tell you around at the stage door," the policeman replied. "The policeman told him that he would let him off that time. The 'ingenu' heaved a sigh of great relief and made this revelation. 'I had a wife ten years ago, and I thought it was that.' It is said that in trying to be funny in the same way with another in a western city the supposed victim of arrest dropped dead of heart disease.—New York Recorder.

Disappearance of Wild Plants.

The report of the committee of the British association on the disappearance of wild plants from their native habitats mentioned fifty of the less common wild plants of the west of Scotland which had been greatly reduced in number in recent years from natural and other causes. The natural causes were due to agriculture, drainage, industry and the growth of towns and villages, and seemed to be outside of the scope of protective measures. In many cases disappearance is attributable to the removal of specimens by collectors for the formation of herbariums, and of plants with showy flowers and ferns for sale.

Herbariums are essential to the study of botany, but the committee thought their multiplication might be made unnecessary by the formation of local collections for reference. Collections for sale might be prevented by the intervention of proprietors. But it is difficult to suggest any course of prohibitive measures. In the discussion the too specific designation of places where choice plants can be found was deprecated as making access to them too easy to unscrupulous searchers.—Popular Science Monthly.

Mrs. Polk's Escape.

When Polk was member of congress he and his wife were riding in a coach in Tennessee.

The driver ventured into a swollen stream, where presently the horses got beyond their depth and commenced swimming. A little more and the coach would have been engulfed. At that moment a man came up the bank on horseback and shouted to the driver to stop.

The driver hesitated, and Mr. Polk, who could not swim, called from his seat inside the coach, offering any amount of money to any one who would save his wife. The man on horseback seemed afraid to venture to the rescue, but Mr. Granville Pillow, who was sitting beside Mrs. Polk, threw off his coat, exclaiming, "I will take you out, madam!"

He swam to the bank, compelled the man to give up his horse, mounted, plunged into the rapid current, came up behind the stage and told Mrs. Polk to step on the high land wheel, and thence upon the shoulder of the horse. He held her firmly in his arms and bore her safely to the bank.—Exchange.

A Tribute.

"So Mrs. F. is dead," said a woman of society to one of her friends the other day. "Well, she has had a good record. I never saw her at any time that she was not perfectly dressed. I do not think she was ever guilty of an unladylike action in her life, and she was certainly the young-looking woman of her age I ever saw. If we could all do as well as that we ought to be content."

"I am told she was very charitable," supplemented the other. "Oh, yes, I believe she was," assented her friend, rather vaguely. "Anybody can be charitable, but it is not every one that can be grandly down to her very finger tips, like Mrs. F."—New York Tribune.

Only Two Classes.

Teacher.—Are there any classes in a republic like ours? City Boy.—Only two. "Two?" "Yes'm. Them we's got er pull an them we's ain't."—Good News.

The Perfect Book.

It is said that a Spanish firm of publishers once produced a work in which one letter only got misplaced through accident, and this is believed to have been the nearest approach to perfection that has ever been attained in a book. It further stated that an English house had made a great effort to the same end, and issued proof sheets to the universities with an offer of fifty pounds if any error was discovered in them, but in spite of this precaution several blunders remained undetected till the work issued from the press.—Notes and Queries.

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SPECIAL NOTICE.
All advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

BLAINE IS DEAD.

Ex-Secretary of State of the United States, James G. Blaine, died at his home in Washington, D. C., at 11 o'clock last Friday morning. His family were at his bedside when he breathed his last. He had been in failing health for more than a year, and for several months his disease at almost any moment would not have been a surprise. Kidney and lung troubles were the disorders that finally ended his days.

James G. Blaine was born in Pennsylvania in 1830; graduated from Jefferson College in that State, and in 1856 went to Augusta, Maine, and took editorial charge of the *Kennebec Journal*, then as now one of the leading papers in New England. Two years subsequently he abandoned journalism for politics, since which period his life has been public property and his brilliant career is familiar to all.

He left a name behind him that will be remembered longer than any other American except Washington, Lincoln and Grant. He was not only the greatest statesman of his day and generation, but America never produced a greater. His fame was well earned and it will endure long after other National characters are forgotten. He distinguished himself in every public post occupied by him. He was a brilliant orator, a graceful and correct writer.

Blaine was a good man. His character was noble. His life was a pure one. Political enemies worked hard to make the world believe it was not so, but without success. He was just as honest and conscientious in his politics as in his business affairs and social relations. He believed in doing right always and everywhere, and the pursuit of worthy objects in the right way characterized his whole life. The same political enemies who were loudest in trying to blacken the character of Blaine when in the zenith of his fame are now warmest in their praise of him.

Defeated ambition—for Blaine was ambitious—hard work, and domestic bereavements, of which he seemed to have had more than his share, at last undermined a naturally strong constitution and brought him to the grave in the very prime of his years.

HAWAII IN THE MARKET.

In a bloodless revolution in Hawaii, Sandwich Islands, a fortnight ago, the Queen was forced to give up the throne and a Provisional Government was established in place of the Monarchy. As soon as this was accomplished representatives of the new order of things were sent off to Washington to induce Uncle Sam to allow Hawaii to become annexed to the United States, and these Commissioners are now in Washington doing what they can for the success of their errand.

All sorts of opinions prevail at the National Capital as to what the Government ought to do in the premises, but great unanimity exists on one point, and that is, that all other nations must keep their hands off from the Sandwich Islands. Even should the United States decline to accept the proposition of the Hawaiians for annexation they will, all the same, see to it that nobody else gets the Islands, especially England, who has an eye on them, and was the only one of the Foreign Powers present who did not consent to the protection of the Hawaiian Provincial Government by United States troops at the time of the revolution.

We hope the Government at Washington will consent to take Hawaii as an annex to the United States, for it would be directly in line with what ought to be our policy; but at any rate other nations must not be allowed to take it under any circumstances whatever.

TABLED, ETC.

If the matter of Mayor Richardson's investigation of the attitude of the Woburn victualers towards the law, as presented to the Aldermen last week, was meant to be only temporary, or to give time to back up and find, so to speak, as we suppose it was, then it was all right. But the public are keeping an eye on the thing that was tabled and expect to see it lifted and acted on in due season.

When the Boston Journal raises its voice against opening the World's Fair on Sunday it meets with warm approval from the best classes of people in this country. But there is no danger that the gates of the Fair will be thrown open on Sunday for even if Congress should reconsider its action and vote to open them as they will not President Harrison stands ready with his pen in hand to veto it. We are glad to see the Journal stand up so manfully for American principles and the right.

LOCAL NEWS.

Not. Ad. Co.—Chilton.
N. E. Society—Singer.
A. Buckman—Friedlander.
Friday Night Club—Tableaux.
—The days have increased in length 1 hour and 2 minutes.

—Bear in mind the Grand Annual Fair of the Y. M. C. A.

—The date of Miss Emma Fosdick's next concert is Tuesday, Feb. 21.

—Bonelli is offering big bargains in foreign and domestic dry goods.

—Dr. Alice G. Bryant has removed to "The Bristol," Copley Square, Boston.

—The Hudson Associates will hold their annual ball on Feb. 10, at Music Hall.

—Mr. Samuel Sewell said that the Sunday rain spoiled the sleighing in Burlington.

—The Benefit Party of Mrs. O'Brien of Ward 6 was postponed and will take place this evening.

—Read what our North Woburn correspondent has to say about matters and things this week.

—Bear in mind the concert to be given in the Y. M. C. A. course next Thursday evening, Feb. 9.

—The National Band Association are arranging for a fair to come off about the middle of April.

—J. Durward, Jr., keeps his market filled to the collar-beans with the best of meats, vegetables and fruits.

—Official raids on illicit runshops are not of infrequent occurrence these days. They are mainly successful too.

—A good way to make money would be to rent the Woburn Hotel on Bennett street and open a high toned boarding house.

—The annual meeting of the Woman's Equal Suffrage League will be held Feb. 6, in the Y. M. C. A. parlors, at 7.30 o'clock.

—Mr. Daniel Sullivan, the faithful Pleasant street gatekeeper, has been housed with illness for a month, but is up and out again.

—The Slattery Dramatic Club are incubating an entertainment that will knock them all higher than a kite. They are the boys to do it.

—The City Clerk's quarters will be moved to the old Police office in Municipal Building when the same has been suitably remodelled.

—The brisk rain storm last Sunday afternoon knocked out the sleighing in great shape. Monday's warm sun wasn't needed to finish the job.

—The Leather Setters will hold a special meeting at Porter's Hall this evening at 7 o'clock. Important business will come before the meeting.

—Aberjona Colony, P. F., will give their annual ball on next Wednesday evening, Feb. 8. Preparations on an extensive scale are being made for it.

—Lowell alleged playactors and vocalists are hitting Woburn hard these times. It is a question whether they are the more successful as financiers or artists.

—A little skimming of frozen mist fell on Wednesday night which made sleighs slip along as smooth as oil on Tuesday forenoon and the same was improved.

—C. M. Strout has done a fine business in heating and cooking stoves this winter. No wonder at it—the weather has been right for the trade and Strout keeps the goods.

—Miss Emma Fosdick's banjo, mandolin and guitar concerts have been a prominent musical event for several seasons in this city. Another will be given on Feb. 21.

—The present address of Mr. Fred W. Ellis, son of Mr. Alexander Ellis of the "Railroad Store," is now at Durango, Mexico, where he has taken in railroad building. He is well and happy.

—Mr. W. H. Cummings, the well known builder, is preparing for brisk real estate business this spring. He sees signs which convince him that there will be a great deal of building here this season.

—On account of ill health Major Wilson of the H. S. B. has resigned. It is expected that the vacancy will be filled by the election of Capt. Charles T. O'Brien, who will fill the bill to a dot, for he is a young gem of soldierly bearing.

—The Assistant Editor of the JOURNAL runs his department with horse and foot power and any lady wanting her scissors sharpened in the latest style cannot do better than hail the perambulating machineshop and give him the job.

—The Methodist Men of Woburn have a notice of a supper, etc., in this paper, which ought to be carefully read. It is brimful of meaning—good meaning too. In quantity and quality these Methodist Men guarantee satisfaction or money refunded.

—Without pretending to know very much about it we should say that the "Night Lunch" cart that came out from Boston last Tuesday and has been doing business on the Common this week must find exceedingly poor picking. But it is a novelty, all the same.

—Our new City Clerk, Mr. E. H. Lonsbury, keeps the office open for business during the hours of the day and evening prescribed by the ordinances. Nobody need have the least fear but that Mr. Lonsbury will discharge the duties of City Clerk just exactly right.

—The Lewis Music School musicale on last Tuesday evening was one of the best ever given by that institution. A choice audience from Woburn and Winchester gathered at the Board of Trade Rooms to enjoy it and were highly pleased with the programme and its presentation.

—Many thought it strange that the flag was not run up at half-mast in this city on the death and burial of James G. Blaine as a token of respect to his memory. President Harrison saw differently and ordered the public buildings in Washington to be draped in mourning for 30 days.

—Editor Barnstead of the Stoughton News favored this office with a call on Wednesday morning and the office felt better for it. He is such a light-hearted, lively optimist, and with such a good talker, that a visit from him is always a delight to the JOURNAL people, and so it was last Wednesday.

—The alleged "cake-walk" in the rink last Thursday evening week was a sore disappointment to the immense crowd assembled there. It was a cake-walk in a horn, only four couples of colored people taking part in it. It was said by some to be a sell but the hoodlums got their money's worth and rich change back. Many of Woburn's "400" were present anticipating something "rich, rare and racy." They were quite rolled up over the matter. The men who got it up made a pocketful of wealth.

—New SUBSCRIBERS. More new names were added to the subscription list of the JOURNAL last month than during any other January in the last five years. The average reader likes a bright, breezy and always reliable local paper, and the JOURNAL fills the bill to a dot. Hence its recent handsome increase of subscribers.

—Mr. Jacob A. Ham ex-Alderman and a very likely citizen, barring the brand of politics he uses, is interested in a lucrative Boston business and is also a partner in the firm Aquilati & Co., millers. Heretofore he has been a successful politician, but it is not generally thought that he ever made a cent of it. His business success is gratifying to the JOURNAL.

—Our old friend, Mr. B. C. Golden, Superintendent of the Baeder, Adams & Co. Glue Works at Montvale, handed in his annual report to the JOURNAL office last Tuesday, which was accepted, adopted, and will be spent for coal and food for the family. His business is lively at the Glue Works; from 75 to 100 men are steadily employed; and that everybody connected with the concern is happy.

—An electric street railroad is going to be built from Reading via Button End to Woburn Centre this spring. The Stoneham and Wakefield Company, which now have a line in successful operation between Wakefield and Stoneham, will build the Reading-Woburn line which will be ready for use by early summer. As the esteemed Reading *Chronicle* says: "The more the merrier."

—Yesterday, Nellie L. Sheehan was ahead in the Teachers' class of the Globe coupon contest for the School Fair ticket. Her figure was 5,245, which was nearly 500 ahead of the next best. Miss Dora T. Fuller and Miss Mary E. Briggs, both of the same class, are forging ahead nobly. William R. Greenleaf and James Elliott, in the Firemen's Class, are making good time. All these people are Woburnites.

—There she goes again! If it wasn't for Winchester and Stoneham Judge John would find it poor business. This item was in the Boston Herald last Monday evening: A party of Winchester men last night got into a drunken dispute at Woburn Highlands. James Hoban and Matthew O'Toole were arrested, and in the Woburn Court, this morning, Hoban was fined \$10 and O'Toole \$5 for disturbing the peace.

—Sunday evening "sacred" concerts don't seem to take overly well here in Woburn. Our people aren't hankering after them to any alarming extent, judging from some recent experiences in that line. There was a time away back in the misty past when a third rate Sunday night concert sugar-coated with the name of "sacred" would attract a crowd; but it can't do it any longer. "Sacred" Sunday night musical entertainments are pretty well played out.

—Taber, the popular fish dealer had to hustle his boots big during the rather to get oysters. The oyster beds in old Virginia, which were frozen up tighter than a brick and it got so bad and kept on so long that even Boston had to go without her bivalves and fall back on beans 21 times a week. It didn't do any good for Taber to hustle, for oysters couldn't be had for love or money, but he gave our people the best fish and the most of it any man in the business.

—Mr. Alvin Buckman has decided on another big raid on prices of boots, shoes, rubber goods, etc., as will be seen by his ad. in this paper. Judging from the figures therein put down it is fair to call it a price-slaughtering sale, and it will probably be a great success, as it was last year. Particular attention is directed to the cutdown in the prices of Woonsocket rubber boots—the very best made—and Smith's Donagoo button boots—No. 1 and 4 in above respectively. Look at them.

—Last Sunday the two Freds—Fred Flint and Fred Rogers—"good Samaritans" that they are—went over to Waverley to see the venerable Bible Agent, Rev. Dr. Butler, who, they had heard, was in a dying condition, or very near to it. Rev. Dr. Butler has been in the employ of the Bible Society a great many years and is well known and highly esteemed all over Massachusetts. He was a college classmate of Rev. Leander Thompson of North Woburn, and is about 84 years old.

—In a gossip letter from Col. R. Spaulding, dated at Palo Alto, Cal., he says: "I have got more Woburn news from your excellent paper than from every other source since coming here." He gives a glowing description of Palo Alto and the adjacent country, with statistics respecting its agricultural products, vineyards, climate, horses and stock, and many other things which are very interesting. Col. Spaulding is enjoying life out there, and does not hesitate to affirm that California is the best State in the Union.

—Mr. Fred A. Hartwell received a large invoice of the fruit from Rockledge, Florida, last Monday, consisting of oranges, lemons, tangerines, shattucks, grape-fruit, etc., which made a very attractive display in the show windows of his market and was eagerly sought for by the people. All of it was fresh, fully ripe, and of the best quality, considerable of it coming from the orchards of Mr. Hartwell's brother at Rockledge. Experiments with them enable us to say that the tangerines were splendid.

—Our business men were exceedingly unwise to put their money in Bacon's "Woburn," an advertising scheme pure and simple, but a very poor one for the advertisers. It was well patronized though by our merchants and others, as all such schemes invariably are. Woburn business men can be depended on every time for liberal patronage for any foreign advertisement project, but when it comes to sustaining "home industries"—ah that is another thing entirely. If the patrons of Bacon's (New York) "Woburn" and Winchester will get down with pencil and paper and figure a few minutes they will probably come to the conclusion that they paid for the while, although really Bacon's book was a very creditable piece of work both in the way of pictures and letter-press.

—Miss M. Emma Fosdick, the talented and popular teacher, will give another of her fine banjo, mandolin and guitar concerts at Lyceum Hall on the evening of Feb. 21. Besides numerous selections by her pupils on each of these instruments, a guitar soloist, a piano soloist, a first-class reader, and a soprano soloist, are down on the list of performers and will aid in the execution of a programme of the highest quality. Tickets for the concert will be on sale at Whitehead's drugstore on and after next Tuesday, Feb. 7.

—Mr. Edw. C. Leathe has started something new in this city, and it is going to win. At No. 436 Main st., Mann Block, Mr. Leathe has opened a store for the sale and repair of bicycles and will keep always on hand a full stock of first-class new flyers and all kinds of second-hand ones, with all the goods and fixings that go with them, which he is bound to do business. It is a neat move, and Leathe is the man to make a success of it. He has a pleasant store, to an examination of which and its contents he respectfully invites the people of Woburn and vicinity.

—The entertainment given by the Salvation Army last week was in the highest degree satisfactory to all concerned. It lasted two evenings and on each an interesting programme was given. A fine band furnished the very best of music, and there was a large attendance all through. The transfer of Capt. Charles Jolley to this camp has infused new life into it and the meetings are much more interesting than they had for some time been. The Army have done a good work here, and their "rescuing" the perishing. They and their work should be encouraged.

—The Friday Night Club have in store a unique and extremely fine entertainment for the delectation of the people of Woburn, concerning which more may be learned by referring to their advertisement in our business columns. It is more than suspected that an accomplished young lady of this city who is a graduate from the Boston College of Oratory and has a State Society of the W. C. T. U., will read several pieces of the entertainment, which fact alone will probably attract a large audience. The Greek Tableaux will be worth going miles to see.

—The regular monthly temperance meeting under the auspices of the Committee of One Hundred will be held in the M. E. Church at 3 o'clock, p. m., on next Sunday, and promises to be a big one. The principal address will be made by Mrs. Katherine Deane Stevenson, of the W. C. T. U., who has the reputation of being an earnest temperance worker and eloquent advocate of the good cause. The very best of music will be provided for the meeting. It is said that the managers of the series of meetings, Revs. Messrs. March, Barrows and Crawford, feel much encouraged as to the temperance outlook.

—In another item in these columns something is said about gas and the price at which it might be sold. We would be understood as making any complaint against the Woburn Gaslight Company. They supply an article as good as any in the country and instead of being comparatively exorbitant in price they sell at considerably less figures than some other places in the vicinity of Boston. No fault can reasonably be found with them. Nevertheless it is probable that the day is not far distant when their methods of manufacturing will be changed and illuminating gas will be sold by them for \$1 per 1000 feet.

—"If Candlemas Day is fair and bright, Winter will take another flight," which means, when reduced to simple prose, that there is to be six weeks more of solid winter weather after Feb. 2 if at noon on that day the ground-hog, when he emerges from his lair to take observations, can see his shadow on the ground; but if it is cloudy at noon on Candlemas Day so that the ground-hog fails to find his shadow then the backbone of Winter is broken and Spring is close at hand. Yesterday the ground-hog could not see his shadow at noon, therefore it can be safely said that the left of the present winter is over and gone.

—It is to be hoped that nobody will forget the winding up entertainment in the Y. M. C. A. Course on next Thursday evening, Feb. 9, for it is going to be a fitting finale to an excellent series of entertainments and besides that, it is the bounden duty of all good people and all people who want to see other people good to patronize the concert heartily and liberally. The Highland Glue Club enjoy a reputation second to none that travels and a first-class concert by them may be depended on. We hope the officers of the Y. M. C. A. will be greatly swollen by the receipts next Thursday evening, and if all will do their duty they will be.

—There was a meeting of the School Board on last Tuesday evening, and a report of the sub-committee on High School affairs was made, owing to it was said, to the physical indisposition of Madam Bean, who is a member of the sub-committee with Chairman Carter. If the sub-committee's investigation and report embraces all questions appertaining to the standing of the Woburn High School relatively with similar seats of learning through out the Commonwealth, we confess to a very strong curiosity to see and read it. Likewise, if such a report is submitted by the sub-committee our desire to see what will be done with it will be equally strong.

—It would not be at all surprising if a large, lively weekly Democratic paper should be started here within the next 60 days. There is a good opening for such an enterprise and it is a wonder it has never been filled before. Woburn is a Democratic city by 500 majority and would not doubt give a good paying support to a well conducted, true-blue, Democratic paper. Certain parties with ability and pluck and certain others behind them with a plenty of money are seriously contemplating the move and there is but slight doubt but that scheme is in a fair way to become a reality and a successful one in a short time. With a first-class Republican and a respectable Democratic paper the city will be able to get along quite comfortably.

Insure your Property in Solid Companies!

S. B. GODDARD & SON,
General Insurance and Real Estate Agency.
New Savings Bank Building, Woburn, Mass.

Assets of Companies represented over Thirty Millions.
Losses promptly adjusted and paid at this office.
Boston Office—No. 33 Water Street.

—Charles Cooper, the young gentleman who is looking after Miss Nellie Sheehan's interests in the Boston Globe coupon contest, was struck by a double-runner on Scott street the other day and was quite seriously injured.

—Miss Mertena Bancroft, the successful pianist, teacher, of Boston and Woburn, will start to-morrow afternoon for New York City where she expects to visit friends for a fortnight or so. Her father, Mr. P. E. Bancroft, will accompany her but will remain at the Metropolitan only a few days. Probably Miss Bancroft's classes will enjoy the vacation, as no doubt their teacher will, thoroughly.

—We hadn't heard the warble of a "Missouri Mockingbird" for over 15 years, so when that from Giovanni's mouth came, we were all the more interested. Yesterday morning we felt like going right down and offering him our hat. We have attended all the concerts, musicals and recitations that have come off within reasonable distance, but no music has greeted our ears in the period mentioned that has sounded so melodious and sweet and soul-thrilling as that dear old "pump-handle" trumpeting of Giovanni's jock. It was the real music of the prairies—the music we were brought up on, so to speak—and we listened to it with emotions that are easier to be felt than described. Bless the male!

—How strangely things turn up at times and almost all the time. And how true it is that anything published in a newspaper lives forever. It is always sure to be seen by and interest somebody and get talked about. Now, for example, that dear old "pump-handle" trumpeting of Giovanni's jock, it was in "Twenty Years Ago" in last week's JOURNAL about Mr. John H. Nevin being arrested for forgery in 1873. It brought Mr. Nevin to the JOURNAL office promptly on Monday with paper in hand and a plain, brief story of the arrest and its sequel at his tongue's end, to which the Editor listened attentively with satisfaction. True, Mr. Nevin was not arrested by Officers Tild and Doyle and taken before the Court in Boston. But he had no trouble in showing that the charge made by the Roxbury man was false and malicious and he was promptly discharged. There wasn't a iota of testimony to sustain the complaint, and when discharged the Court complimented Mr. Nevin on his honesty. Mr. N. is OK. Who would have dreamed that this transaction would have appeared in public again after being dead 20 years?

—While philanthropists are struggling for cheaper gas for Boston before the Legislature why don't they enlarge the circle of their sympathies and take in the rest of the State? Or is Boston Massachusetts? The gentleman who has the matter in hand tells the Legislative committee that illuminating gas can be made for 33 cents a 1000 feet and it has been demonstrated that, with modern methods of manufacture, it can be made for considerably less than that.

A Woburn man, who generally knows what he is talking about, and understands all about gas-making, says if he had his old place in the Woburn Company he could furnish this city with gas for \$1.00 per 1000. Cooking and heating gas is now sold in Boston for 35 cents per 1000. The fact is that water gas, which was so vehemently decried a few years ago, has come to the front, and is, in its greatly improved state, just as safe, just as good as illuminator, and a deal cheaper than the coal gas, and is even now relegating its old competitor to a back seat. Gas companies, who just as well as not increase their dividends by cheapening the price of gas and thus vastly increasing its consumption.

—Police Officer Bernard Murphy of the Woburn force came in for a large amount of praise for the particular fine piece of work he did in arresting Swain, the Medford horse thief, last week in our city. Swain was very badly wanted. It is said he has served two terms in the State's Prison and is convicted on a charge for which Murphy arrested him he will have to take a 25-years sentence under the "habitual criminal" law of this State. According to all accounts the arrest was the biggest thing in the line ever done in Woburn or anywhere about here. City Marshal McIntosh was highly pleased with the fine work of his subordinate, Murphy. Which reminds us that Officer Murphy has done many good jobs in his line since he has been on the force. He keeps his eye peeled and that is why it looks as though all the big things fall into his porridge. It will be remembered that he caught the store-breakers that so successfully raided certain places in this city a year or two ago and brought them to the Bar of Justice. Cooked and baked and show in these parts when Officer Murphy is on duty, not but what his brother officers, with perhaps an exception or two, are bright men, keen-scented, smart, and efficient. They are all right, but Murphy gets the "hat" takes," somehow.

—J. Henry Hutchings, M. D., Ophthalmic and Auricular Surgeon, devotes special attention to diseases of the Eye, Ear, Throat and Nose. Glasses fitted and errors of refraction corrected. Office, 516 Main street. Hours, 2 to 9 p. m.

—Mr. Holman's economy goes to such an extreme that he has cut out \$100,000 from an appropriation of \$350,000 for back pay due to certain old soldiers and soldiers' widows. It is said, however, that he will be made Chairman of the Committee on Appropriations in the next House. He is too small even for his own party.—*New Bedford Standard.*

—"Chippman's Liver Pills" are the best in the world. Never gripes or makes sick. They are purely vegetable, and will cure your bilious trouble. All who use them speak well of them. Sold by all druggists.

Three Score and 13.

On last Saturday evening Mr. Edward Simonds celebrated his 73d birthday in a style that will long be kept in memory by those who were present. The celebration was held in the old Courthouse, Municipal Building, and it was one of the pleasantest affairs that ever came off under the rafters of that somewhat venerable pile.

It was very far from being a stiff and formal celebration. There was nothing swallow-tail or stove-pipe about it, but it was in the highest degree enjoyable from start to finish.

About 100 gentlemen accepted Mr. Simonds' cordial invitation to meet him in the old Courthouse at 8 p. m. and partake of a plain but substantial spread supplemented by cigars, but no malt, vinous, or spirituous liquors; to hear a poem written by Judge P. L. Converse recited by the popular elocutionist Elmore A. Pierce; and indulge in divers and sundry other pleasant goings-on.

The crowd was not a stationary one. They kept going and coming, and eating and saluting the Host (except when the literary exercises were in progress), and retiring for a smoke, and indulging in self-congratulations over the good fortune of being one of Mr. Simonds' guests on the notable and happy occasion.

The Boston Herald, which always gets there in such matters, published an interesting biographical sketch of Mr. Simonds, accompanied with an excellent portrait, on Friday, which was read at the celebration, and the Herald correspondent duly accorded a generous meed of praise for his enterprise and faithful pen-picture of the venerable City Messenger of Woburn. Everybody had a good time. Mr. Simonds is not the sort of a man to put on an inflated company on short rations on an occasion of this kind. "He has a heart as big as an ox," and the best the market affords in generous measure is none too good for his guests. He was particularly to invite the members of the Fire Department of 50 years ago—the old Engineers, etc.—for he "ran with the merches" in 1841—and some of his Company associates are still "valve and kicking."

All said the birthday anniversary of Mr. Simonds was a great success. The number of visitors was not only large but were of the sort that couldn't be wanted. They were all good fellows wherever they might be. The Host gave everyone a cordial welcome and all he could eat. The poem was well and its rendition fine. And—well, what more could any reasonable body ask for?

Phillips Brooks's Books.

No one in our country has had more continuous or more conspicuous success in preaching than the late Phillips Brooks and the books which are to be found in the Public Library, published at different periods of his life, point directly to the foundation of his power. The following is a list:

Sermon before the Ancient and Honorable Artillery delivered before that body in 1872. "Lectures on Preaching" before the Divinity School of Yale College during the winter of 1877. Sermons delivered in Trinity Church, 1878. "The Influence of Jesus" a volume containing four lectures delivered at the John. H. H. Lectureship in Philadelphia in 1879. Subjects: "The Influence of Jesus on the moral life: The Social life: The Emotional life: and the Intellectual life of man." "Candle of the Lord" and other sermons published in 1881. A volume of sermons preached in English churches and dedicated to the many friends in England in remembrance of their cordial welcome, 1883. "Tolerance," two lectures addressed to the students of the several Divinity Schools of the Protestant Episcopal church, 1887. Also a volume of "Trinity Sermons" delivered in 1887. Last published volume, "Light of the World" sermons preached in Trinity Church, 1890.—E. F. P.

Catach in New England.

Ely's Cream Balm gives satisfaction to every one using it for catarrhal troubles.—G. K. Mellor, Druggist, Worcester, Mass. Ely's Cream Balm is a valuable remedy for catarrh ever offered the public.—Bash & Co., Druggists, Worcester, Mass. An article of real merit.—C. P. Allen, Druggist, Springfield, Mass. Those who use it speak highly of it.—Geo. A. Hill, Druggist, Springfield, Mass. Cream Balm has given satisfactory results.—W. F. Draper, Druggist, Springfield, Mass.

Living up to the Law.

Careful and thorough investigation by City Marshal McIntosh proves that Mayor Richardson's dash at the saloons was an effectual one. The dealers saw at a glance that the Mayor was in right-doing mood and the best thing for them to do would be to stand from under immediately. They did so, and thus saved themselves much trouble, anxiety and money.

Marshal McIntosh has reported that the saloon people holding victualers licenses have furnished their stores with food in proper variety and quality strictly in accordance with the provisions of the law and intend to be victualers in good faith and law abiding business men.

All these people have ever been asked to do was to obey the laws just as others do, but they have always acted as though they considered themselves exempt from the operations of the statutes made for the regulation of their trade, and have paid but little heed to them. It is different now.

Viewed from the past Mayor Richardson's move was a bold one, but it was right and honest, and it worked like a charm.

It is because persons who once try Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, always buy it again, that its sales have become so enormous. The success of this great remedy in curing cold, cough, croup and sore-throat is simply marvelous.

Cotton Underwear Department.

Special Sale in Ladies' Cotton Underwear.

Ladies' Night Robes, 45 50c. each.
58
Ladies' Drawers, 25 37c. a pair.
50
Ladies' Corset Covers, 25 37c. each.
50
Ladies' Night Robes, 75 79c. each.
81.00

C. WILLARD SMITH,

399 & 401 Main St., Woburn.

Report of Water Commissioners.

The Woburn Board of Water Commissioners have made and presented their report for 1892. The following interesting figures are gleaned from it for the readers of the JOURNAL:

During the year there were pumped 222,777,777 gallons, an increase over the previous year of 11,336,400 gallons; daily increase of consumption, 36,268 gallons; consumption of coal, 538 tons.

The increase in water consumption is due to two causes, viz., greater use by manufacturers and excessive and illegal use of hose.

At one time last year there were pumped per day 400,000 gallons over the usual quantity.

The reservoir structure is in good condition. The plan for new buildings and location in place of the Winn street shop is renewed.

The following items are taken from the Registrar's report:
Construction—Receipts, \$5,966.33; expenditures, \$4,614.48.
Maintenance—Receipts, \$38,305.88; expenditures, \$11,033.61; interest, \$24,483.75; sinking

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SPECIAL NOTICE.
All Advertisements to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

GOOD BYE FAST DAY.

The Legislature have abolished the old New England Fast Day and substituted for it the 10th of April as a fixed annual holiday in memory of the Battle of Lexington.

It was not a very smart thing for the Legislature to do. And then the idea that the Legislature are the keepers or conservators of the morals of the people! It looks like meddling with a matter that they had no particular business to trouble.

There are many men and women in this State who are not ready to surrender these old landmarks. Fast Day is one of them that is cherished even if it is not as strictly kept as it once was. To have it abolished is like burying an old friend.

But there is never any telling what cranky things a Massachusetts Legislature may do.

PATIENTLY WAITING.

The Hawaiian delegates to Washington express themselves as being in no great hurry about bringing their mission to a close. They were sent by the Provisional Government and are there for nothing else but to prevail on Uncle Sam to take Hawaii under his protecting wing, and they are willing to wait until he gets ready to do so.

The reports from Washington are to the effect that the Administration look favorably on the application for annexation and that both branches of Congress are of the same way of thinking. The leading newspapers of the country also advocate it, and it appears as if enough Hawaii is soon to be ours. If the United States don't take it England will.

GOOD APPOINTMENT.

President Harrison has always shown a happy faculty for doing the right thing at the right time. His appointment of Justice Lamar's successor on the Supreme Bench is in proof of the statement.

The selection of Judge Jackson was one of the very best that could have been made, while as a political move it was admirable. Mr. Clarkson and a few disgruntled partisans to the contrary notwithstanding.

We extend our sympathies to Mr. R. W. Burdett, Editor and Proprietor of the Stoneham News, in his sorrow over the death of his daughter, Miss Florence Barnstead, who died at her home after only a few days illness, last Saturday, at the age of 21 years. She was a beautiful young lady, a favorite with everybody, and her early death is deeply lamented in Stoneham and elsewhere, among those who knew her. Mr. Barnstead has the sympathy of the whole community in his great bereavement.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

Gas Co.—Reduction.
G. F. Bean—Probate.
F. B. Keith—To Let.
F. F. Fiedler—Consent.
Crawford & Co.—Dramatic.

—There was quite a snow storm on last Monday "with a rising temperature."

—Mr. Willis Buckman is selling the very best brands of flour at the very lowest figures.

—Mr. A. Buckman's annual cut-down sale of shoes is in full blast. Read his advertisement.

—Mercury in the thermometers got down pretty low again Tuesday night and Wednesday morning.

—Mr. Charles S. Jones is meeting with great success in procuring pensions and back pay for Veterans.

—Lent begins next Wednesday, and society people will get all the fun out of life possible between now and that date.

—Next Tuesday is St. Valentine's Day, for which Postmaster Wyman and his efficient Assistants are making due preparations.

—We have our usual organ focussed on an esteemed correspondent who would be still more highly cherished if he would cross his ts.

—The annual Fair of the Y. M. C. A. will be held on Feb. 22, 23. Everyone should be saving money to buy things at the Fair.

—There was a big rain storm last Monday night. In the morning but very little ice was left in the streets and no sleighing to speak of.

—Mrs. Hurd has a card in this paper to which we direct attention. She is a thorough artist in her line of business and gives the very best of satisfaction.

—There has been one good thing about it and that is that Sup. Jones has been prompt with his sand on slippery sidewalks during the reign of crust and ice.

—Mr. W. C. Bland, boss shifter at the old depot yards, fell from a car ladder last Tuesday and had one of his arms badly broken. He was taken to the Mass. Gen. Hos.

—Durward keeps constantly on hand a full supply of hand-made passages of the best quality. After filling up on them a man feels as though he could lick his weight in wildcats.

—Mr. Winthrop Hammond, junior member of the firm of J. W. Hammond & Son, leading clothiers in this city, is in New York this week cutting the market for fresh and stylish spring goods.

—The Democratic City Committee sent out notices for a meeting to be held every evening for the purpose of organizing. The matter of establishing a party organ here will be canvassed. Many of the leaders are strongly in favor of starting a paper, and strong promises of support have been given. It will probably go.

—Hoodlums or somebody else have recently been indulging their propensity for malicious mischief on Col. Hayes's lawn fence. It is all wrong and those who do such mean things ought to be punished.

—Mrs. Sarah J. Woodside and Miss Susan Tibbets were placed on important committees at the 14th annual convention of the Massachusetts Relief Corps, G. A. R., held in Boston last Wednesday.

—Mr. Alvah Buckman's great annual mark-down sale is a big thing. For example: He is selling the very best make of ladies' over-gaiters for the never before heard of price of 49 cents.

—One of Gen. Butler's best political speeches was that delivered at Indianapolis on Oct. 3, 1876, wherein he gives Senator Hendricks particular fits for slanderous words used by him. Mr. G. F. Jones has the speech.

—Last Saturday and Sunday night the weather was about as severe as anything we have had this winter. Gatemans Brown's glass showed 1 degree below zero on Sunday morning, which was almost as low as anything we have had.

—The concern that gave a "sacred" concert in Lyceum Hall last Sunday evening didn't get money enough out of it to pay for their sale. Next time they will be likely to give more attention to what the JOURNAL says about "sacred" concerts in Woburn.

—There will open for exhibition today at Doll & Richards's Art Gallery, 2 Park Street, Boston, "Summer Days in Venice," a series of watercolors by F. H. Smith, and will continue to the 21st inclusive. It offers a rare opportunity to see beautiful pictures.

—Mrs. S. S. Fessenden, President of the Mass. W. C. T. U., will meet the ladies of Woburn in the Y. M. C. A. parlors on Monday, Feb. 13, at 3 p. m. An organization will be formed, and it is earnestly hoped that all interested in this important good work will be present.

—The Young Ladies Mission Circle will hold a High Tea in the Baptist Vestry Thursday evening, Feb. 16. There will be an entertainment consisting of readings, vocal and instrumental music, and a dialogue by eight young ladies dressed in costumes. Admission 15 cents. All are invited.

—Mr. Frank P. Keith of North Easton advertises a part of the Grandfield property on Main st. to let, he being the owner of the same. The property is in a desirable location for business purposes and will be leased at a reasonable rent. See what Mr. Keith says about it in our business columns.

—The Woburn Workers, of the First Cong'l Church, will hold a Dolls' Reception in the church parlors, Saturday afternoon, Feb. 11th, from half past two to four o'clock. An admission fee of ten cents will be charged, and the proceeds will be sent to Rev. James L. Fowle of Coe's to aid in the Kindergarten work.

—Mrs. Cora Stewart Wheeler, who lectures in the Burdett Church next Wednesday evening, is one of the most clever literary women of Boston. She is a prominent member of various women's clubs and an author of considerable reputation as well as an attractive platform speaker. The subject will be "The Moravians: as I lived among them."

—Dr. George P. Bartlett's son Samuel, who is attending school at Worcester, had one of his eyes badly injured while playing pool on Friday. He is now being treated in Boston by a specialist, but it is feared he will lose the sight of one eye totally. "Sam" has many friends and former schoolmates who will deeply regret his misfortune.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hammond started last Monday for Florida and will be away three months or more. During the worst of the Boston East Wind, which is in March and April, Mr. Hammond's tendency to rheumatic troubles induced him to seek a warmer climate, which is the reason of his departure for Florida at this time. Possibly Mr. and Mrs. Hammond will return via the World's Fair, although this was not determined on when they left.

—A little boy of Mr. David T. Strangle, last Tuesday, at No. 409 Montvale Ave., was drowned in the brook that runs near the residence, but how the accident occurred no one knows. Mr. Strangle was at Taunton and did not learn of the drowning of his boy until he came home. The mother went nearly wild with grief. A few weeks ago an older child of hers died of fever. In their great affliction Mr. and Mrs. Strangle are deeply sympathized with by the community.

—The Friday Night Club will give a fine art and musical entertainment in the vestry of the Unitarian church on next Thursday evening, Feb. 16, under the management of the Art Committee. A rich programme has been prepared for it, a chief feature of which will be the "Greek Tablets" by four beautiful young ladies from the Boston College of Oratory which everybody says is delightful. There will be other attractions of a novel character, all of which our people should see and hear.

—Rev. Edward Wheeler, son of Mrs. Frances Wheeler, brother of Mrs. William W. Hill, and uncle of Miss Anna Hill, of this city, gave an address at the 4 o'clock p. m. Y. M. C. A. meeting last Sunday. He was en route with his family for St. Louis, Mo., to begin work as pastor of one of the churches in that city, and stopped off to say goodbye to his mother, his sister, and other relatives here. He has been settled for some time at St. Wilbraham, and is said to be a young man of much promise.

—From all accounts it is safe to say that the supper to be given by the "Methodist Men" at the M. E. church on the evening of Feb. 14 is going to be a grand affair. We are assured on the best authority that the meal, although prepared solely by the "Men," may be partaken of without the least fear of any unpleasant results—in fact, that it will be equal in every respect to any supper the ladies dare try to get up. A very nice entertainment has been arranged to go with the supper,

and if there are no slip-ups the "Men" expect to fairly outdo themselves. For full particulars read the notice in this paper.

—Mr. Fred A. Hartwell received a few days ago another shipment of real, genuine Indian River oranges, which are the finest that have been sold here this season. These Indian River lemons are of medium size, full of sweetness, and will fairly melt in your mouth. There is great difference in oranges and none of them come quite up to the quality of the Indian River such as Mr. Hartwell has just received. Besides those which came a few days ago Mr. Hartwell has another large invoice on the road, and intends to keep this market fully supplied with the best oranges raised in Florida.

—A gentleman at Gage & Co.'s is well acquainted with "Old Jed Prouty" of Bucksport, Me., who is chief man on the stage of the Bowdoin Square Theatre in Boston this week. He also knows the most of Mr. Prouty's associates there and used to go to school with some of them. Our friend frequently calls to mind with pleasant emotions "Jed's" tavern at Bucksport where he has taken many a square meal at the old gentleman's expense, and played with his boy on the hay mound many an afternoon, and squirrel hunted in the fall. When "Old Jed" and Prouty" and his Bucksport cronies get the Bowdoin Square stage all to themselves they make more fun for the spectators than a horse can haul.

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Boston Theatres.

BOSTON MUSEUM.
A NEW ENGLAND PLAY.—On Monday evening, Feb. 20, James A. Herne's powerful New England play of "Shore Acres," warmly endorsed by W. D. Howells as a worthy companion picture to "The Old Homestead" and "The County Fair," will be presented at the Boston Museum for the first time in that city. Mr. Herne has laid the scenes of his play on the picturesque shores of Frenchman's Bay, near Mt. Desert, Me., and his people and incidents favor of the popular characteristics of that locality. The piece is remarkably strong in plot, and there are many realistic mechanical effects which will be given with that correctness of detail for which the Museum is famous. New and beautiful scenery has been painted by La Moss, and there will be a number of elaborate scenic illusions, among them the change from a lighthouse interior to the rocks and ocean, with a storm-tossed vessel in the foreground. "Shore Acres" promises to be the most noteworthy event of the Museum season. Mr. Herne, the author, and Mr. William Harris have been especially engaged for the cast, and Mr. George Wilton plays an old New England farmer of which he is sure to make a strong character study.

THE TREMONT.

Neil Burgess was given a grand reception on Monday evening. "The County Fair" seemed new and fresh and one would not think it ran last season at the Park a hundred times over. Seven horses are now used in the racing scene and several new improvements have been made. Only four weeks engagement and to secure good seats order early.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE.

Two men remarkable in many respects will begin an engagement at the Grand Opera House next Monday evening. The wonderful physical and facial resemblance of William and Willard Newell is a source of wonderment. It is said to be impossible to tell them apart on the stage. Their play, "The Operator," is one of the big financial and artistic successes of the season. It teems with thrilling interest and is a play of great strength.

THE BOWDOIN SQUARE.

"A Nutmeg Match" will be the attraction next week and with the new additions that have been made since it was produced here, it will make a most attractive entertainment. The cast contains leading artists, many of them great favorites. "Old Jed Prouty" is drawing full houses and can only be seen the remainder of this week. Mr. Richard Golden's impersonation of the Tavern keeper alone is worth twice the price of the seats. "A Nutmeg Match," so full of life and vivacity, will remain only next week. Matinee Wednesday and Saturday.

THE PARK.

The old, old story at the Park—full houses, great fun, and an evening of rare enjoyment is what "A Temperance Town" offers. Next week will be the 11th, and still the Park theatre is crowded at each performance. Hoyt's plays are so full of interest, spiced with humor, and based on facts, that all who know of him wish to see them.

THE BOSTON.

"The Country Circus," owned by C. B. Jefferson, was presented at the Boston theatre on Monday evening and the engagement bids fair to eclipse the former one. To witness a circus upon the stage would have seemed a fairy tale some years ago but one can go to the circus for a few weeks at the Boston theatre without waiting for gentle spring. The wrestling pony, Marlow & Danham, the greatest horizontal bar performer, Wm. Demott, champion bare back rider, Burke brothers, pantomime, and an endless variety of new feats and specialties are to be seen.

THE GLOBE.

Francis Wilson is doing a wonderful business at the Globe in "The Lion Tamer." Only one more week remains to witness this grand production and as this is the first engagement of Mr. Wilson in two years a return engagement cannot be expected for some time to come. "The Lion Tamer" is a tale of the Circus. The scenes: Act I, Marcellus, Dressing tent of the Circus. Act II, Scene I, Chapel of Count Verdigrius Corsica. Scene II, Public Square, Bastia, Corsica. It is the latest comic opera success.

THE HOLLS.

The second week of the leading success, "The Masked Ball," is drawing to a close and next week will be the last of the engagement of Mr. John Drew in it. The Hollis Street theatre has held some brilliant as well as fashionable audiences during this engagement and the reception given Mr. Drew and his excellent company must have been very gratifying to him. Miss Maude Adams has become a favorite here. Her work is very artistic and pleasing. Mr. John Drew and company, under the management of Charles Frohman, is a decided success.

THE COLUMBIA.

The reception given "1492" at the Columbia on Monday evening can hardly be described. It was a grand affair and the piece was never presented in a more creditable manner. Manager Rice is "up to date," and the new musical compositions, "In New York" and "Chippies," were the hit of the evening. On last Wednesday evening a most beautiful woman was given to the ladies and everyone said the anniversary night was a grand event. Herbert Mather, the favorite Boston artist, will sing the part of Columbus at the Wednesday matinee.

AUSTIN'S PALACE THEATRE.

"The South Before the War" is the title of the spectacular, musical comedy, the current attraction at Austin's Palace theatre. There are at least 75 people in the company under the management of Whallen and Martell, and the show in its entirety is one of the best presentations of life on a plantation given in this city for years.

Woburn Woman's Club.

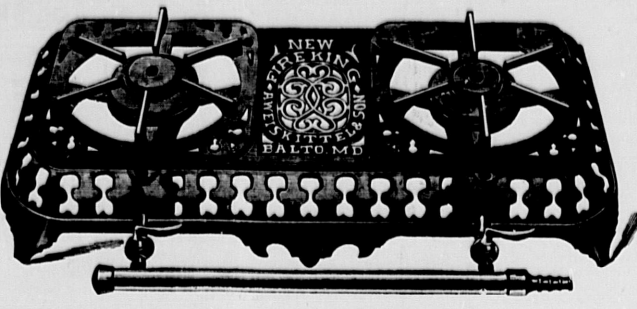
The 10th anniversary of the organization of the Woburn Woman's Club of this city will be celebrated in due form on the evening of Feb. 17. Preparations on an elaborate scale are underweigh for it, and if it is not a great success there will have to be some other reason given for the committee's laying out the part of the Club comprises much of the best social element of the town. Literature, art, and music are ably represented. It is the highest intellectual culture were the founders and the same class have been its best supporters. It is doubtful if there is another Woman's Club in the State that can show so far a record of work done and ends accomplished as this of Woburn. It is equally doubtful if there is another that has on its rolls the names of so many thoroughly educated and really brainy women.

The Club, from every point of view has been a notable success. Financially its business has been conducted with marked ability. It has furnished intellectual food of the highest quality from its organization to the present time. Its lectures have almost always come from people of the widest, fairest, poet, orators and novelists of the highest order have been at one time and another, guests of the Club.

It is proposed to make this 10th anniversary celebration an event long to be remembered. Among the distinguished women who are expected to be present are: Mrs. Lucy Stone of the Woman's Journal; Mrs. Julia Ward Howe, President of the New England Woman's Club; Mrs. Etta H. Chubb, President of the Maine Federation; Mrs. Louise Chandler Moulton; Miss Amelia S. Knight, President of the Rhode Island Association; Mrs. Melora F. Pratt of Worcester, Chairman, State Correspondence Committee; Mrs. Mich. Dyer, Jr., Boston, ex-President Charity Club and President Wintergreen Club; Mrs. Maud Howe Elliot; Mrs. Mary French Sheldon, New York; Mrs. E. M. H. Merrill, President Women's Tress Association, Woburn Seminary Club, Cantabrigia Club.

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PROBATE COURT.

To the next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Charles L. Skinner, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, interested:

WHEREAS, application has been made to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate not already administered of said deceased to John W. Johnson, of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, and to exempt him from giving surety or securities on his bond pursuant to statute;

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court;

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The Journal is for sale at the stores of Sparrow, Horton, 105 Main Street, Charles B. Brown, 105 Main Street, John Cummings, 2d, Cummings, Samuel E. Wyman, W. A. Hanson, North Woburn, and at G. P. Brown's Winchester.

SPECIAL NOTICE.
All advertisements to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

"WHEN DOCTORS DISAGREE" ETC.

The Boston papers are far from being in accord on the question of the condition of the Woburn Almshouse as respects the safety from fire. On one side the institution is pronounced a firetrap; on the other that it is one of the safest in the State.

People who have given the buildings a thorough examination differ on the question as widely as the Boston papers. Some, including Mayor Richardson, Inspector Ferrin and other city authorities, claim that the Globe's "scare" was groundless; other inspectors maintain that the lives of the inmates are in constant jeopardy.

The Globe article served one good purpose—it aroused public interest and forced an official examination.

This is a matter that won't bear trifling with. Nothing short of absolute protection to the unfortunate inmates of the Almshouse will satisfy the people. There must be no second edition of the horrible Dover tragedy here in Woburn. If there is the least doubt about the condition of the buildings the subject must be agitated until all defects are remedied. Paupers have rights and humanity demands that they shall be protected.

WHAT DOES IT MEAN?

We confess our inability to understand the whys and wherefores of the Woburn Common Council. When President Sullivan insists on a fair division of the public property, we experience no trouble at all in comprehending the fact that he means the JOURNAL shall receive fair play from the city authorities. There is where he is right, and his course in this respect meets with the JOURNAL's hearty approval.

But when it comes to rejecting such faithful public servants as John R. Carter for the Water Board and E. Prior for the Board of Assessors, we are puzzled. If there has ever been a word of fault found with either of these officers it has escaped our ears. They enjoy the reputation of having discharged the duties of their positions with ability and fidelity, which makes their rejection by the Common Council all the more inexplicable.

There is a rumor current that the Council intend in due time to reconsider their action and to retain Carter and Prior in their old places and very likely it has a good foundation to rest on.

LET IT ALONE.

Faxon, the eccentric, who unsuccessfully aspired to leadership in the cause of temperance reform in this State, is sowing broadcast printed matter, erroneously dubbed arguments, against what is commonly known as the "drunk law" and is employing other means to compass its repeal.

It is gratifying to be informed that the present Legislature are not inclined to accept Faxon as an exponent of public opinion on the subject of the law, said at his request. His vanity is unbounded, but it is a good thing that the Legislature do not value him at the figures which he places on himself.

It is not at all probable that the present Legislature will repeal or materially modify the "drunk law," but Faxon will not have spent his money in vain—he will have accomplished his main object which was to make Faxon's name before the public and prevent its falling into "innocuous desuetude."

BIENNIAL ELECTIONS.

Hearings have been lately held at the State House on the matter of substituting a constitutional amendment to change the State elections from annual to biennial to a popular vote in which a good deal of interest was manifested. It is not likely however that anything will be done, for is not the Legislature greater than the people? And are not the politicians all in favor of annual elections?

FAST DAY.

The JOURNAL was a little "previous" in announcing the abolition of Fast Day by the Legislature last week. On sober second thought it was deemed best not to meddle with it, and so the old New England custom still stands.

We have received from Secretary Charles S. Parker of the Arlington Advocate a copy of "The Transactions of the Massachusetts Press Association, Constitution and List of Members," also a description of the annual excursion for 1892. Thanks.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.
Y. M. C. A.—Appeal.
J. W. Johnson—Citation.
H. B. Cleary—Dancing.
L. E. May—Ex. Sale.
D. L. L.—Entertainment.
E. F. F.—Entertainment.
M. P. M.—Entertainment.
M. B. H.—Entertainment.

The poultry industry in Woburn is growing fast.

Lovell advertises a perfume named "Baby Ruth."

Whitaker—"Always on the jump"—has a new ad.—a week.

Grothe has put in an electric motor in his business.

Everybody is getting a good ready for the Y. M. C. A. Fair.

Mr. Dennis Duane has returned from his pilgrimage at Springfield.

The apples at Duane's are as fresh as when they left the tree last fall.

W. E. McDonald, the barber, feels badly over the loss of a pet spaniel.

Capt. Luke R. Tild's lameness keeps him within his house most of the time.

Mr. Thomas J. Hevey will probably be local agent for the Upton gloves.

Goodwin & Higley have remedies for colds which people ought to use these times.

The Woburn-Winchester Whist Club met with Miss Mina Deane on Tuesday evening.

—Mrs. Montross T. Allen is quite ill with influenza.

—The Y. M. C. A. Fair, on Feb. 22, 23—next week—is going to be the best they ever gave.

—The Haggerty water motor at Richardson's mill shows that great power can be secured from low water.

—The increase of pupils at the Johnson school shows that the new industry in ward 7 has boomed that locality.

—Mr. and Mrs. Hudson attended the funeral of Mr. Hudson's grandfather at Hyde Park on Wednesday P. M.

—Mr. Alfred Willoughby left some late Philadelphia papers on his table last Monday, for which favor we thanked him.

—Chairman Allen publishes a call for contributions to the Y. M. C. A. Fair which is to be held next week. Read and heed it.

—Next Wednesday will be Washington's Birthday, and the day of social pleasures will be in order, even if it is late.

—James Skinner & Co. have moved their counting room from Boston to Woburn and Mr. Alva N. Wood has charge of the books.

—George Hudson, grandfather of George S. Hudson, the Woburn Herald representative in this city, died at Hyde Park Monday.

—The gristmill, under the new management of Jaquith & Co., is turning out more work than ever. It is a busy place down there.

—At the meeting of the Executive Board of Woburn Mutual Benevolent Association, last Friday evening 15 members were admitted.

—Mr. Arthur E. Gage, it is said, has the inside track for Clerkship of the Fourth District Court of Eastern Middlesex. Time will tell.

—The Woburn Firemen's Relief Association will hold their Annual Ball on April 12 in the new Armory instead of the evening before Fast Day.

—The city clergy attended the M. E. "Meadow" service last Tuesday evening and partook of a square meal once more. Rev. Dr. Crawford presided.

—Murphy & McCoy's variety company will draw a six-horse team at Lyceum Hall on Wednesday night. It is said to be a fine entertainment.

—Cabel H. Jaquith had a valuable horse taken with paralysis of the throat a few days ago. It was unable to take food or drink and had to be killed.

—The Slattery Dramatic Club have in preparation "Pop Day," which will be given under the auspices of the Celtic Association on the evening of Feb. 22.

—The Rev. Frederick Courtney, D. D., Lord Bishop of Nova Scotia, will officiate at the funeral of Mr. J. H. W. French, at St. John's Church, Wednesday, Feb. 22, at 7:30 P. M.

—Mr. Andrews, a relative of Mr. C. W. Nute, is substituting for Station Agent Frank Green while he is in Florida enjoying a vacation. The arrangement is temporary.

—Masters Russell and Sawyer of the High School were the best guessers and got the tickets, also a square meal of victuals at the Methodist supper last Tuesday evening.

—G. E. Butwell, while clearing the road of Mr. Graves' house from snow last Tuesday, fell a distance of 30 feet to the ground and escaped without injury except a bad shaking up.

—Nicholas, the Reading caterer, whose car appears in the JOURNAL, has had the fire of trade this winter. He is an expert in getting up society suppers, dinners and banquets.

—Last week Rev. Mr. Barrows suggested, with another of the JOURNAL's contributors, the 18th—regularly—that he has had in the last few months. Tough!

—Ald. Jacob M. Ellis is preparing to do a larger business than ever this year. He has several heavy contracts on hand, for which he will make considerable additions to his working force.

—Miss Ida Florence, the reciter, made a hit and kept it during the whole evening. Her recitation of "The Story of the Founding of the City of Woburn" was a fine success.

—Citizens of Woburn should say a good word to the railroad committee of the Legislature, who are now in session in Boston. They contemplate building a line from Boston to Lowell and Lawrence via Woburn.

—It is expected that the Woburn Camp of the Salvation Army will hold a large meeting in the First Congregational church, nearly all Christians now concede that the Army are an important auxiliary in Christian work.

—A special meeting of the Equal Suffrage League will be held Tuesday evening, Feb. 21, in Y. M. C. A. parlors at 7 P. M. instead of 7:30. As there is important business to transact a full attendance is requested.

—G. R. Gage & Co. advertise a big mark-down sale of heavyweight goods to make room for a new spring stock. They have the very best of foreign goods, and for men's wear and will sell them at big bargains.

—Cornelius F. Driscoll, formerly a member of House 2 of North Woburn, and recently of House 6 of this city, has been appointed a permanent member of the Boston Fire Department and assigned to Engine 22, Dartmouth street.

—An order for \$2000 was received by Mrs. Mary A. Horrigan last Wednesday. It was the amount of her husband's life insurance policy, which she had secured through the Boston Life Insurance Company, 131, United Order Pilgrim Fathers.

—The Local reporters of the Boston party, who seem to know what the "don't know" isn't trying to learn, are sure that Mayor Richardson will appoint Dr. Seth W. Kelsey City Physician.

—It has leaked out that a very large party will soon be given as a climax to the party season in this city. Particulars concerning it are kept carefully guarded, but enough is known to warrant the statement that it is to be a most notable affair.

—On a late train to this city last Saturday night Mary Thompson of Boston took a garment belonging to another passenger. It was found as the former was about to leave the train. She was turned over to an officer and fined \$20 in the District Court the next day.

—"The Dells Reception" given by the Woburn Women of the First Congregational Church last Saturday afternoon was a pleasant and successful affair. The attendance exceeded the expectations of the promoters and everyone had just more than a good time.

—Miss Florence is a most gifted reciter with a splendid command of the language and she will give one of her popular recitations at Miss Fossick's concert, Tuesday evening, Feb. 21, at Lyceum Hall.

—Patrick Murray of Lawrence, boss shifter in the Woburn freight yards, sustained a severe injury to his head on Wednesday morning. Dr. Chalmers cared for the wound. Mr. Murray succeeded Mr. Bland who lost an arm in the yard one day last week.

—"Woburn's 'long felt want' has at last been filled. What has kept Woburn in the background more than anything else has been the lack of a 'Society' reporter for the metropolitan papers. She has found her Moses, and now we see no reason why Woburn shall not flourish.

—The Martha Washington Tea Party which is going to be given by M. W. Council No. 14, on the evening of Feb. 23, is bound to be a great thing. If we don't miss our guess, the arrangements are in the very best of hands and no pains will be spared to make it a pleasant affair—very enjoyable and a great success. It should be distinctly understood that the invitations include not only Woburn's "400" but Woburn's 14,000, and everybody will be cordially received. See card.

—The jury in the case of Forsyth vs. Gould gave a verdict for the defendant last Tuesday. Forsyth sued Gould for alleged injuries received two or more years ago caused by Gould running into Forsyth with his horse and carriage. G. W. Norris for plaintiff; M. T. Allen for defendant.

—To be sure no formal action has been taken but it is well known that the female servant of Woburn are very rarely a day in their position to the reintroduction and adoption of criminal and feel grateful to the Princess of Wales for enlisting the aid of Frenchman, Worth, into smithereens.

—The Mishawum Club will give their Ladies Night on next Thursday, Feb. 23. It is expected to be in keeping with the gaieties of the fashionable season just closed, to which end extensive preparations are in progress. The Mishawum is the "swell" Club of the city, and their parties are considered great social events.

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—As a steam, water and gas filter, Mr. Edward E. Parker has a few hands full of work. In this line of mechanics there is no man among us who surpasses him in experience, skill and care, and the upshot of it is his constant employment on the best kind of work. Mr. Parker is one of the finest men to deal with there is in Woburn. Please read his card in this paper.

—The many and esteemed friends of Miss Genevieve McLaughlin met at her home last Monday evening and presented her with a beautiful bouquet. The presentation was made by Miss May, who was accompanied by Miss McLaughlin. The evening was passed very pleasantly with vocal and instrumental music and refreshments. The party broke up at a late hour.

—Rev. William C. Barrows, pastor of the Woburn First Baptist church, and member of the Woburn P. M., G. A. R., has been elected Chaplain of the Department of Massachusetts, which is an honor worthily bestowed. He takes a prominent part in all affairs of the Department in its efforts to do good. The appointment reflects credit on P. M. 161, and on Woburn Veterans generally.

—Last Monday evening the numerous friends of Mr. Frank E. Leslie, who returned from the above fire and got ready for bed, an alarm was sounded by the fire bell. Mr. Leslie was again hastened towards North Woburn.

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by Judge Johnson, to whom the credit for their excellence is due. When lawyers from Boston and neighboring cities and towns come to Woburn to Court they are surprised to find such admirable arrangements for the dispatch of legal business and are often heard to bestow warm praise upon the manner in which Woburn has for many years run the courtroom, etc., supplies the janitor, and defrays other expenses.

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"Moses in Egypt." It is creditable to the intelligence of our citizens that the announcement of a lecture on "Moses in Egypt" in his church, or elsewhere in the city, never fails to attract a large audience. It made tough work for Supt. Sewell's men on the street railroads, but they worried through it. Tuesday was sunny, warm and springlike.

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GETTING SQUARE.

How a Circus Attendant Got Even with a Crazy Skeleton.

The general public is not acquainted with the manner in which some employees are hired for a circus. Some of the situations in the "side show" are irksome, and in order to retain the right man in a place he is hired with what is called a "hold back"—that is, he is to receive, for instance, fifty dollars a month salary, but gets only fifteen dollars a month, the other thirty-five dollars being retained until the close of the circus season, when it is always paid to him in a lump.

Messrs. Hagar and Henshaw, the managers of the "side show" of the Barnum circus, have always had considerable difficulty in getting a man to stay the season out and take care of the living skeleton, owing to the general "cannibals" of such "freaks." In the case of the skeleton he had to be carried to and from every performance, to meals, etc., in storm, rain and hot weather, and the attendant was compelled to bear all the grumblings and complaints of the skeleton with the added phases of ill temper and abuse.

One season when the show closed and the attendant of the skeleton had received all the money due him for the season's work, including his "hold back," he felt as if he would like to square accounts with the skeleton; so, after the last performance, he took the skeleton in his arms, he carried him, not to the sleeping car, but away off in the fields, and placing him beside a fence left him there with the remark: "There! You have abused me all summer, and now, damn you, I'll get square. You can stay where you are until I come for you next season."

After an hour or two the skeleton was missed, and all hands were sent in search for him, when at 4 o'clock in the morning he was found lying in the wet grass chilled to the marrow, as it was an easy thing to chill him to the bone, owing to the absence of flesh.—New York Tribune.

THE WALL REBUILT.

LESSON VIII, FIRST QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, FEB. 19.

Text of the Lesson, Neh. iv, 9-21—Memory Verses, 19-21—Golden Text, Neh. iv, 9—Commentary by the Rev. D. M. Stewart.

9. "Nevertheless we made our prayer unto our God, and set a watch against them day and night." Nehemiah determines to have dealings with God alone, and with men only as God may use them, and give them to him. His strength is the good hand of his God upon him and reliance upon God to prosper him (chapter iv, 1, 2, 3). His refuge is prayer (chapter iv, 4, 5). His helpers whom God gave him, goldsmiths, apothecaries, merchants, priests, rulers and his daughters, each had a kind of work and took hold of the work nearest to them (chapter iii, 8-12, 23, 28, iv, 6). The enemies were those who had the wall of Jerusalem, scorned, mocked, despised and fought against the servants of God (ii, 10, 19, iv, 1, 7, 8). The difficulties were great, the enemy was strong, his helpers comparatively few, but "the God of heaven, He will prosper us" (chapter ii, 20) was Nehemiah's strength.

10. "And I said, We are not able to build the wall." The enemies without were bad enough, but to hear the people of their own faith, their own countrymen, indeed, the laborers' strength giving out, and the amount of work to be done being considered, the men of Judah became faint hearted.

11. "And our adversaries said, They shall not know, neither see, till we come." The enemies within the last verse, for if we are not helpers we are hinderers, and now the enemies without, who talk of death and desolation, enemies on every side ever since Satan began to fight against God and man. See our marching orders in Eph. vi, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22.

12. "For I have been a wall of fire." It is to have near neighbors or gloomy or discouraging people unless by the God you have sunshine enough to dispel the clouds. Every Christian is expected to be a comforter and encourager of others, for he who helps one neighbor, and every one said to his brother, he of good courage" (Isa. xli, 10).

13. "Therefore I even set the people after their families, with their swords, their spears and their bows." The people of God in the days of Israel were often called to arms. Even Abraham had an army of trained servants whom he could rely upon to go to battle for him (Gen. xiv, 14, 15). "But the weapons of our warfare are not carnal, but mighty through God to the pulling down of strongholds, casting down reasonings and every high thing that exalts itself against the knowledge of God, bringing into captivity every thought to the obedience of Christ" (II Cor. x, 4, 5).

14. "Do not be afraid of them; remember the Lord." These are somewhat like the words of Isaiah, "Who art thou that thou shouldst be afraid of a man and forgettest the Lord, thy maker, who hath stretched forth the heavens and laid the foundations of the earth" (Isa. li, 12, 13). It becomes us under all circumstances to say, "Behold, I have been a wall of fire" (Isa. lxi, 10). "I will trust and not be afraid" (Isa. xli, 2).

15. "God brought their counsel to naught; we returned all of us to the wall, every one unto his work." This last phrase is suggestive of the words of the Lord Jesus, "To every man his own burden." He has a work for every member of His body in the building up of His church, for "where His workmanship created in Christ Jesus unto good works, which God before ordained (prepared, margin) that we should walk in them" (Eph. ii, 10). If we are to build in the work and with the work, we must be ready to do whatever He may appoint (I Sam. x, 15). He will surely show it to us.

16. "And it came to pass from that time forth that half of my strength wrought in the wall, and the other half of them held both the spears, shields, etc." An illustration of the fact that they also serve who only stand and wait (Milton), and suggest also of the law that David made in Israel, "As his part is that goeth down to the battle, so shall his part be that tarryeth by the staff; they shall part alike" (I Sam. xxx, 24).

17. "Every one with one of his hands wrought in the work, and with the other hand held a weapon." This refers to the builders and the bearers of burdens and is somewhat explained by the next verse. Surely this work was carried on under great difficulties, but, as we have read, "The people had a mind to work" (verse 6). 18. "For the builders every one had his sword girded by his side, so builded, and he that sounded the trumpet was by me." Our instructions are to have our minds girded with truth, and to take the sword of the Spirit, which is the Word of God, praying always (Eph. vi, 14, 17, 18). We, too, are to be always listening for the trumpet, which may sound any moment to call us to meet Him in the air (I Thess. iv, 16, 17), to join Him as He comes with clouds of glory, as the Lord of the living and the dead (Rev. xix, 14, 15; Ex. xv, 3). While the trumpet is silent we are to be ever building by winning souls unto Him.

19. "The work is great and large, and we are separated upon the wall, one far from another." How every statement concerning this great work of Nehemiah comes right to our hearts as laborers with God in building up the church of Christ, which is His body (through all the world the laborers are scattered, some so very far from others, and in some places none at all as yet).

20. "In what place, therefore, ye hear the sound of the trumpet, resort ye thither unto us. Our God shall fight for us." The Lord shall fight for you, and ye shall hold your peace, and it was so manifest that the Egyptians said, "The Lord fighteth for them" (Ex. xiv, 14, 25). "The Lord your God, which goeth before you, He shall fight for you" (Deut. i, 30). Such facts and words as these make Nehemiah's story strengthen his people. Never strong in ourselves, but always "strong in the Lord and in the power of His might" (Eph. vi, 10). He will accomplish His work in and through us.

21. "So we labored in the work." And in due time the wall was finished, for the work was wrought of God (chapter vi, 15). Consider well the difficulties, see the trenchery within (chapter vi, 18, 19) as well as the enemies without the camp, and contemplate Nehemiah and his God until you can hear Him say to you as He said to Jeremiah, "Say not I am a child, for thou shalt go to all that I shall send thee, and whatsoever I command thee thou shalt speak; be not afraid of their faces, for I am with thee to deliver thee, saith the Lord. They shall fight against thee, but they shall not prevail" (Jer. i, 7, 8, 19).

22. "Fall to do their duty." Everybody has at times failed to do their duty towards themselves. Hundreds of lady readers suffer from sick headache, nervousness, sleeplessness, and other troubles. Let them follow the example of Mrs. H. Herbecker, Stevens Point, Wis., who for five years suffered greatly from Nervous Prostration and sleeplessness, tried physicians and different medicines without success. But one bottle of Dr. Miles' Nervine cured her and she is now as well as she is feeling like a new person. Mrs. Elizabeth Wheeler, Laramie City, Wyoming, who tried all other remedies, declares that after three weeks' use of Dr. Miles' Nervine for Headache, Nervous Prostration, etc., she was entirely relieved. Sold by Goodwin and Highley at the Buss Pharmacy, Trial Bottle Free.

Two thousand men discharged by the street railway and other corporations of Montreal, Canada, nearly expelled the Aldermen in the City Hall for considering a petition of carter for the withdrawal of street cars, on the plea that they ruin the streets.

ALMOST BEYOND BELIEF.

Things Often Happen That We Can Scarcely Credit.

This is One of Them, and We Give It to Our Readers.

IT MAY SEEM REMARKABLE, BUT WE KNOW THAT IT IS ALL TRUE.

A strange tale comes to us from Champlain, N. Y., where the principal in this absorbingly interesting account came very near not being alive to tell the story.

It would seem that a well known resident of the town, Barney Wilson by name, fell ill. Now illness is a common thing, but not so that of Mr. Wilson, as he says himself, now that the danger is all over.

"I cannot describe how I felt or what I suffered."

"It seemed to be at first mostly in my head. I could not think easily; my head felt dull and strange, and I was tired and weak all over."

"I knew my nerves were weak and prostrated; that I had dyspepsia terribly. Why, I could scarcely eat anything from one day to another."

"I could not sleep nights, and woke mornings feeling weak, tired and dragged out. It came near being my death stroke, I tell you, and we did not know what the end would be."

"Can you believe it, I lived and suffered like this for a whole year!"



MR. BARNEY WILSON.

"And then, when I had become almost hopeless, I saw the advertisement of a medicine, Dr. Greene's Nervine, and I bought a bottle. I was so much better that I was astonished at its use and now I am feeling as well as sound as I ever was in my life. I can truly say that had it not been for Dr. Greene's Nervine, I should now be in my grave."

"I have recommended this wonderful remedy to all of my friends. I cannot speak too highly of this medicine, and I earnestly recommend it to all who are suffering from disease."

"Our readers would be foolish indeed if they did not follow Mr. Wilson's advice, if they are sick or out of order, for it is a sure thing that this remarkable remedy cures. Besides it is purely vegetable and harmless. The great physician and specialist in nervous and chronic diseases, Dr. Greene of 34 Temple Place, Boston, Mass., discovered it, and he has since been prescribing and recommending it. The doctor also can be consulted free of charge in regard to any case personally or by letter."

Angry Citizen—"But this bill for January is more than twice as big as it was for the month before, and my flat was closed nearly the whole month of January. I was on a visit out of town." (The Company's Cashier answers.) "Yes, traveling is always pretty expensive. Ten dollars and thirty-five cents, please."—Morning Star.

The attention of baseball players who receive wounds of one kind or another every day, from bat or ball, is directed to the fact that Salvation Oil is the best application in use for cure of cuts, bruises, and sprains. 25 cents.

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ABOUT THE ORIGIN OF WOMAN.

A Story That General Horace Porter Tells of Ancient and Modern History.

At a New England dinner General Horace Porter was asked to reply to the toast of "Woman." Of course a story was expected from him. He selected one that was familiar to everybody, and this, to a degree, the way he told it:

"Woman's first home was in the Garden of Eden. There man first married woman. Strange that the incident should have suggested to Milton the 'Paradise Lost.' Man was taken from his side; for it woman was created and she became his wife. Evil minded persons constantly tell us that this man's first sleep became his last repose, but if woman be given at times to that contrariety of thought and perversity of mind which sometimes passeth all understanding, it must be suggested in her favor that she was created out of the crookedest part of man."

"The Rabbits have a different theory regarding creation. They go back to the time when we were all monkeys. They insist that man was originally created with a kind of Darwinian tail, and that in the process of evolution that caudal appendage was removed and created into woman. This might better account for those caudal horns which women are in the habit of delivering, and some color is given to this theory from the fact that husbands, even down to the present day, seem to inherit a general disposition to leave their wives behind. The first woman, finding no other man in that garden except her own husband, took to darning the devil."

"The race might have been saved much tribulation if Eden had been located in some calm and tranquil land like Ireland. There would at least have been no snakes there to get in the garden. Now woman has her first efforts after knowledge showed her true female inquisitiveness in her cross examination of the serpent, and in commemoration of that incident the serpent seems to have been doubled up into a kind of knot and used in nearly all languages as a sign of interrogation. The snake got at a moment's notice upon his cunning dexterity, for which the poor fables are no match. His huge brownish body being thickly covered with coarse gray hairs and exactly matching in color the trunk of the tree, in some rough crevice to which he lurks unseen, he is ready to pounce out at a moment's notice upon his hapless prey when once entangled in the fatal web."

Another monster of the same genus, "five inches in expanse," of a brown tint with yellowish lines on his thick hairy legs, is equally rapacious; but, carrying on his depredations only at the door of his den in the broadest earth, needs no protecting color, as he comes out only at night when all about him is in shadow.—Nineteenth Century.

About Lifting the Hat.

There are certain courtesies generally paid by men to women that long usage has led us to take as a matter of course. One of these is that of raising the hat. There is no question now as to the propriety of doing so, and becoming act for man, whatever his age or station may be, or whoever the woman is to whom he pays the little mark of deference. At the same time many men do not follow the custom, and the omission is not necessarily to be attributed to ignorance nor to a lack of respect for women, especially if the man is past middle age.

Most men who are bald are obliged to be careful about exposing the head to a draft, and for that reason avoid taking off the hat out of doors. Of course there are times and places when they cannot do it without danger, but it would hardly do to vary the rule to suit the weather.—Manchester Union.

A Dissertation on Hamlet.

One of Miss A. C. Graham's scholars, according to his article in the University Correspondent, wrote the following: Hamlet was weak-minded. Fond of study. But was too weak to fulfill his duty which the Ghost had told him. He was very good to his mother. He professed madness, but really meant to do it. He was a great say he was mad. One day when he was fighting the king asked him if he would have something to drink & he had put poison in it & Hamlet said he would wait the Queen took it & then she falls down dead Hamlet immediately stabs his father & drinks the poison and dies.

Moderation in Exercise.

We may well rejoice that the day has vanished when a pale face, dull eyes and a weak chest were the signs of knowledge, but we will do well to guard against the other extremes which regard physical culture as the most important thing in life. The young people who attend our institutions of learning should be encouraged to take plenty of physical exercise. Their inclination toward study should not be so completely upon, but they should be held to moderation and to such a wise division of their time as will enable them to devote proper attention to their studies.—Altoona Tribune.

The Age of Tortles.

The age of turtles, like the age of some excellent wines, will never be known. In many parts of the country boys cut their initials on the shell of the tortoise, with the date, and then watch for them in later years. At Hampton, Va., a boy named "L. W. 1883," cut on the shell. Mr. Levi Walton, who cut the lettering, is still living, but the slow going turtle will probably outdo him in the race of life.—Meehan's Monthly.

Amicities.

Mrs. Hautton (maliciously)—You were such a charming debutante, my dear friend, you were so popular. Mrs. Islets—Was I? I only remember you made such a lovely champion for me when I came out.—Chicago News-Record.

Two Wonderful Grapevines.

There is a wonderful grapevine at Gaillac, a town of southern France. Although the plant is only ten years from the cutting, it has yielded as many as 1,287 bunches of fine fruit in a single year. There is but one other vine in cultivation that is known to excel this prolific shrub, and that is the historical vine at Hampton Court, England, which was planted in 1768. In one year this noted vine has borne 2,500 bunches. The fruit from this vine is kept for the exclusive use of Queen Victoria, the surplus being made into wine for the same purpose.—St. Louis Republic.

Irrigation in Colorado.

There are 5,000,000 acres of land in Colorado suited to irrigation, but only two-fifths are under cultivation as yet. About 26,700 acres are in fruit, and 7,900 will be added very soon. Water is conveyed through 12,000 miles of ditches.—Boston Transcript.



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Since its first introduction, Electric Bitters has gained rapidly in popularity, until now it is clearly in the lead among pure medicinal tonics and alteratives—containing nothing which permits its use as a beverage or intoxicant, it is recognized as the best and purest medicine for all ailments of Stomach, Liver or Kidneys.—It will cure Sick Headache, Indigestion, Constipation, and drive Malaria from the system. Satisfaction guaranteed with each bottle or the money will be refunded. Price only 50c per bottle. Sold by Gordon Parker.

A Schoolboy's Anatomical Essay.—The body of a person is made up of the head, the thorax and the abdomen. The head contains the brains, if there is any; the thorax contains the heart and lungs. The abdomen contains the bowels, of which there are five, a, e, i, o, u, and sometimes w and y.—Bank's Times.

Why Should I not have confidence in that which has done me a world of good? If you have suffered from indigestion, liver complaint and get cured by using Sulphur Bitters, would not you too have confidence in them? J. R. Nasu, Hotel Winthrop, Boston.

It is estimated that 15,000 men, 2400 horses and 190 steam engines were occupied in harvesting the ice from the surface of the Hudson.

I have been troubled with chronic catarrh for years. Ely's Cream Balm is the only remedy among the many that I have used that affords me relief.—E. H. Willard, Druggist, Joliet, Ill.

I have been troubled with catarrh for ten years and have tried a number of remedies, but with no relief until I purchased a bottle of Ely's Cream Balm. I consider it the most reliable preparation for catarrh and cold in the head.—Geo. E. Crandall, P. M., Quinocentaur, R. I.

The Federation of Labor is to enter into an educational campaign, and desires the use of public school buildings for labor meetings.

USE DANA'S SARSAPARILLA, "THE KIND THAT CURES."

A Central Labor Federation is to be established in Philadelphia.

A bulging meat tin is a sure indication of decomposition inside.

New York musicians earn salaries ranging from \$500 to \$5,000.

The cattle yards in Chicago give employment to 25,000 people.

Coal miners in many parts of Pennsylvania are said to be starving.

The Central Labor Union of Indianapolis has been made a secret body.

Love laughs at locksmiths, but you bet it doesn't laugh at plumbers.

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SPECIAL NOTICE.
All advertisements, notices, and insertions in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

DR. BARTLETT AND THE SCHOOLS.

Dr. George P. Bartlett wants our schools, and more particularly the School Board, officially investigated. He is dissatisfied with the management of them—so much so that he some time ago removed his son from school here and sent him to a private one at Worcester. He gives good reasons for his course.

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THE LEGISLATURE.

The House last Monday adjourned an order to adjourn on May 3. Judging from the tone of the debate on it it is fair to presume that the order will have but slight effect on the length of the session.

Friends of the late Queen of Hawaii in Washington are scheming to prevent the annexation of the islands to the United States, and a few members of Congress are giving them aid and comfort. If the treaty is not ratified England will have Hawaii within 30 days.

Female Suffrage met with another setback in the Legislature last Tuesday. By a vote of 47 to 88, the House refused to pass the Municipal Bill to a third reading, and that is the end of the matter for this year.

Lawyer Olney of this State has been selected by Mr. Cleveland for his Attorney-General.

Gov. Russell and Staff will attend the Inaugural in full uniform. Won't they cut a swath, though!

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

S. R. French—Shop, Murphy & Co.—Shaw, Ransom & Co.—Meeting, Powell—Entertainment, Edith E. Russell—Retail, Hancock & Brooks—Wanted.

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—Our good friend W. V. Kellen, ex-temperance resident of Jamaica Plain, and ex-Supreme Court Reporter, must not mind the weather, for we looked in vain for his name among those of the alumni of Brown University who sat down to a banquet at Young's last Monday.

—Mr. Amos Cummings is putting in new counters, shelves and draws and in other ways improving his store for spring business. In common with other traders he believes the coming season is going to be a prosperous one for Woburn and is making preparations accordingly.

—“Peep O’ Day” went off in fine style at Lyceum Hall last Wednesday evening notwithstanding the inclemencies of the weather. The play was given by the Slattery Dramatic Club under the auspices of the Celtic Association and proved a great success every way. The Hall was filled.

—The Woburn Co-Operative Bank, which, by the way, Secretary White says is in a flourishing condition and doing much good in this city, will hold a meeting for the election of officers for next year in the Board of Trade Rooms at 7.30 o’clock Thursday evening, March 9 next.

—We can fully testify as to the merits of Tenney's Magic Glycerine Soap for general family use, having used it for years and will continue to do so. It has always given the very best of satisfaction and is preferred to any other. Mr. S. R. French of New Woburn supplies it. Read his card in this paper.

—The Annual Meeting of the Woburn Woman's Club for the transaction of business, having been held in the Music Hall, Friday, March 3rd, at 3 P. M. In addition to the usual yearly report, there will be short sketches of living Boston mortals, given by members of the club, G. M. N.

—The Manchester, N. H., papers of Feb. 16, contained very handsome notices of the concert given the evening before last, under the direction of Mr. F. H. French, at this city. It was a high class musical affair and seems, from what the papers said, to have given great pleasure to a very large audience.

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The Groundhog is a failure, if nothing worse, as a weatherwise, and Warren T. President of the Iowa Groundhog Association, is his prophet. The worst storm in many years has been experienced since the Groundhog Day, whereas, according to the groundhog theory, winter's backache ought to have been broken on that day and nothing of the kind has since but “eternal mildness.”

—Rev. George A. Crawford, D. D., pastor of the Methodist church in this city, was one of the orators at the Founders Day exercises at the Union State Hotel, Tuesday evening. Other speakers were: Rev. Edward Everett Hale, D. D., Mr. A. L. Livermore, Rev. J. D. Burbit, D. D., of New York, Rev. A. D. D. D., Rev. Charles Parkhurst, D. D., Rev. A. E. Winslow and other prominent Chautauqueans.

—Mrs. S. C. Fessenden, President of the Mass. W. C. T. U., will meet some temperance ladies of Woburn this afternoon for the purpose of organizing a Union here. Everywhere else this important branch of work is accomplishing a vast deal of good, and there is no reason to believe that Woburn is the kind in this city. We have a plenty of excellent timber for one, and it is to be hoped that Mrs. Fessenden's mission may prove fruitful.

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—“Well, we’re here at last,” was the first thing Supt. Sewell of the Middlesex said when he got to the Centre in the electric car and big snowplow at just 3.30 last Tuesday afternoon. “And we’ve been just 15 hours coming from Montreal with a big gang of shovellers string all along the tracks from there to here. The driftings are nearly up to your neck, and this is the first car that has got through today. I never saw a worse storm and don’t want to see another one like it very soon. At 3.30, p. m. the first electric put in an appearance on Tuesday notwithstanding the gongs of men and the blowing of whistles here and there, and Supt. Sewell appeared to feel very much relieved when he got through. From this a faint idea of Monday’s storm may be gained.

—Walter Stackpole of the Daw greenhouses says the demand for flowers is brisk in Boston this winter. Every morning he takes a big load into the city for which there are a number of customers. The prices are just now Mr. Stackpole carries in more plants than other flowers, of which he has big beds of splendid ones. Last Monday morning he took a load of the flowers, and of himself and craft on Tremont street when one of Uncle Jerry Rock’s wipers caught him coming up the hill, and he was both on the ground and otherwise roughly handled him. He however soon righted ship, took a rest in his ulster, and made tracks for the B. & M. station on Cambridge street which he reached without further trouble, but a little short in the article of wind. No weather is rough enough to stop Walter from taking flowers to Boston.

—Uncle Rufus Smith and the Editor do not observe the 30th anniversary of the celebration at Maline, Illinois, on Feb. 22, 1854, of the completion of the Chicago and Rock Island Railroad from Lake Michigan to the Mississippi River, on a scale quite so elaborate as on some former occasions, but we were both on the spot, and did not fail to do the affair. The terrible storm last year’s attack of the grip; and the uncertainty that hangs over the face of the country, have prevented the celebration anniversary festivities of some of their former salient features and to give them perhaps an air just a bit more subdued than in years past, but Uncle Rufus and the Editor were on the whole well satisfied with the performance and had a right-down good time all around and all to themselves on the celebration of the memorable occasion above named.

—Judge Converse says the storm last Monday wasn’t a priming to the one that visited this region on Jan. 17, 1867, when it was a day considered sufficiently memorable by him to be given a place of record in his “Legends.” According to his account the snow near the close of the day must have been welling 4 feet on a level; the wind blew a hurricane; and the drifts—gracious mercy, such drifts! Towards evening the suburban trains on the Lowell road began to pile together at East Cambridge to such an extent that it became necessary for the made passengers to get out and go to sleeping off the train. The trains through Worcester where hard work for Lowell parted company from the “Branch” one, but they made their way headway and instead of reaching Lowell that night they became permanently stalled in the snow. The Woburn Branch trains far too, although the Railroad Company put 50 extra men to shoveling out the track. When within a mile or so of home they were ordered to give it up for not another inch could the cars be moved. All but four of the large number of passengers remained there in the driftings all night. Or else they got out and hid in the snow. Judge Converse and Mr. Jacob Brown were two, and both nearly perished before they reached their homes. It was a tough one.

The Storm.
Some say not since 1858, others, not for 20 years, has a storm of such violence visited this city. The storm of 1858, in this section as that which began in a moderate sort of way on last Sunday evening, and increased to a fearful storm by midnight, and kept it up until nearly 12 on Monday night. It was a terrible storm, not to be compared with the one of 1858, but it was a very bad one. The snow was at times blinding, and the pedestrian had all he could attend to in getting out of the snow. The storm was at times blinding, and the pedestrian had all he could attend to in getting out of the snow. The storm was at times blinding, and the pedestrian had all he could attend to in getting out of the snow.

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The Woburn Woman's Club.

Last Friday was their Field Day. The Club celebrated in fitting style the 10th anniversary of their organization, and it was by all odds the greatest day in their history. Everything was gotten up in the weather, for we looked in vain for his name among those of the alumni of Brown University who sat down to a banquet at Young's last Monday.

—The distinguished guests of the Club began to come along between 11 and 12 o’clock, and the first to arrive were welcomed by the reception committee. The Club was a beautiful by a wealth of flowers. The party receiving were: Mrs. J. K. Adams, President, Mrs. J. K. Adams, Vice-President, Mrs. J. K. Adams, Secretary, Mrs. J. K. Adams, Treasurer, Mrs. J. K. Adams, and Mrs. J. K. Adams. The Club was a beautiful by a wealth of flowers. The party receiving were: Mrs. J. K. Adams, President, Mrs. J. K. Adams, Vice-President, Mrs. J. K. Adams, Secretary, Mrs. J. K. Adams, Treasurer, Mrs. J. K. Adams, and Mrs. J. K. Adams.

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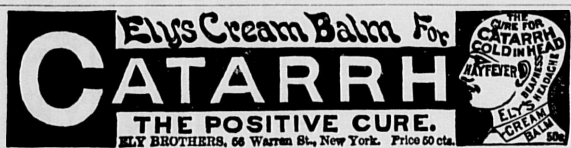
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Sheriff's Sale.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.
MIDDLESEX, ss.

February 14, 1893.

Seized and taken on execution, and will be sold at public auction, on Saturday, the 25th day of March, A. D. 1893, at four o'clock, P. M., at my office, 420 Main Street, Woburn, in said County of Middlesex, all the right, title and interest that William E. Leach, of said County of Middlesex, had (liable to be taken on execution) on the 25th day of October, A. D. 1892, that being the time when the same was attached, in and to the following described real estate, to wit:—A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situated in said County of Middlesex, comprising the easterly part of lot number 4, and the westerly part of lot number 5, on a plan of land in Melrose made by George W. Butterfield, recorded with Middlesex, Book 92, Plan No. 66; Beginning at a point on the northerly side of Summer Street, 81 feet distant easterly from the southeasterly corner of lot No. 3 on said plan; thence easterly on said Summer Street, 60 feet; thence turning at a right angle, and running northerly as the fence now stands, 20 feet 6 inches to land now owned by Walter Littlefield, Jr.; thence southeasterly on said land, 17 feet 6 inches to said Summer Street, to the point of beginning, being the same premises conveyed to Nancy N. Locke by John N. Adams and Nancy J. Adams, November 9, 1885, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 922, Page 246.

JOHN E. TIDD, Deputy Sheriff.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Mary E. Sweetser, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, notice is hereby given that the probate of the will of said deceased, in said County of Middlesex, and the appointment of an executor thereof, is to be held at the Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of March, A. D. 1893, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against granting the same.

And the said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation in the newspaper called the Woburn Journal, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirtieth day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.

S. H. FOLSOM, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Charlotte W. Johnson, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, notice is hereby given that the probate of the will of said deceased, in said County of Middlesex, and the appointment of an executor thereof, is to be held at the Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of March, A. D. 1893, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against granting the same.

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WINCHESTER.

Our California excursionists went off last week in high feather.

The Star says good Dr. Brown is taking life easy. He deserves it.

The new Superintendent of the Baptist Sunday School is Mr. E. V. Wooster.

Dr. Church hustles around among his patients every day as lively as a boy.

A special Town Meeting is imminent. It may save several gaseous explosions at the regular annual gathering.

A special Town Meeting to consider the question of reducing our Board of Selectmen from 5 to 3, will soon be held.

The Star very properly praises Mr. Richardson, our Street Commissioner, for his excellent work during the thaw last week.

The Metropolitan Sewer engineers are tunneling the Boston & Maine tracks just south of Winchester, in order to lay the pipes which will continue to Cross Street.

Mr. S. C. Small, the well known Boston furniture dealer and promoter of the North Winchester land boom, has been quite under the weather. He is all right again.

The same Herald correspondent puts it in this way: With proposed parks, new industries, electric railways and the average Winchester citizen is given a great deal to think about.

Mrs. Maria C. Dresser, President of the Winchester Woman's Club, and Dr. Adelaide Church, attended the 25th anniversary of the organization of the New England Women's Club at the Vendome, Boston, last week, and had a delightful time.

A correspondent of the Boston Herald writes Superintendent Richardson that he may lose his official head this spring. I don't take any stock in the story for Col. Nat. is one of the very best road builders in Middlesex County. He is too valuable a man to be sacrificed to the whims of cranks.

Mrs. Dorcas Whitten, mother of Mr. Henry Whitten of this place and of Ex-Ald. Charles Whitten of Boston, is 88 years old, and probably has been in point of age in Winchester. With the exception of a partial loss of sight Mrs. Whitten retains her faculties wonderfully well, and is quite hale and hearty this winter.

Judge George S. Littlefield is more than any other man, entitled to the credit for the excellent school system which prevails in this town. He was a pioneer in the work of reform and although he had strong local prejudices and the State Board of Education to fight, he won his case and placed this town in the van of a school system not only the best in the State but one that, sooner or later, must be universally adopted. As now generally conducted the Graded System is a failure, although with proper modifications it will work well. Day Butler once said that Horace Mann had done more to destroy the Common School system in this country than any other man.

Monday's big storm and blockaded our streets in real old fashioned shape.

After the grip, when you are weak and "played out," Hood's Sarsaparilla will restore your health and strength.

Another Big Specialty Show.

At Lyceum Hall Saturday evening, February 25, Hyler Comedians will present their big variety entertainment to people of Woburn. This will be the third variety company that has appeared here since the management of Mr. D. J. Manning. Last night's entertainment was so cordially received that the show on next Saturday, Mr. Manning specially engaged Mr. Martin Fishery to appear in connection with his big show. Mr. Fishery, the winner of the championship at Providence last Monday night and will have a friendly contest with his brother and trainer Joe Fishery. The prices for the week of all and a good house should greet this show.

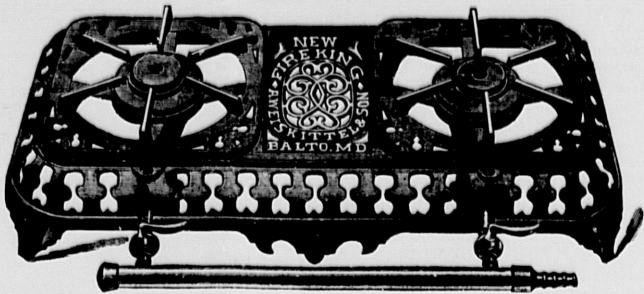
Literary Notices.

In THE POPULAR SCIENCE MONTHLY for March Prof. C. Sanford Henderson completes his illustrated account of the Glass industry. Considerable light is thrown upon the problem of irrigating the West in an article on Artesian Waters in The Arid Region, by Robert T. Hull. A series of letters on the life in colonial times is exhibited in Colonel A. B. Ellis's paper on White Slaves and Bond Servants in the Plantations. An explanation of The Deceit of the Heart is attempted by John C. Rose. Under the title An Agricultural Revolution, Prof. Clarence M. Weed describes, with illustrations, the operation of spraying fruit trees with insecticides and fungicides. Ghost Worship and Tree Worship is concluded. Edith Sellers tells The Story of a Colony of Epileptics. The Brooklyn Ethical Association is described by Dr. Lewis G. Jones. Other articles are Notes on Palaeopathology, The Scheele Monument at Stockholm, East Central African Customs, and a Sketch of Roberts Hare, with Portrait. In The Editor's Table, The Everlasting Ghost, A Shattered Argument, and Stoves without Pipes are sharply dealt with. New York D. Appleton & Company. Fifty cents a number, \$5 a year.

The New Peterson for March is a decided improvement on its predecessors. It is a most interesting paper, accompanied by admirable photographs of all the celebrated American women violinists. Another article, profusely illustrated, is "Some Cities of Algeria." "Jeral Camperman's Alibi," by Robert C. V. Myers proves that its author is a skilled humorist. Another article, "Palumbo Downy," is one of those sketches of Calabrian life which have made this writer so famous. "A Street's Dreamer Night's Dream" is an unique as it is delightful. "Heine and the Monkey's Skin," by Thomas Wentworth Higginson, and "Was That Little Fellow It?" by Miss J. Savage, are among the gems of the number. Charles Washington Coleman, Edward A. Oldham, and other well-known poets contribute some of their best work. The success of The New Peterson is thoroughly established and is well deserved. No magazine has a finer array of contributors. Terms two dollars a year. Address PETERSON MAGAZINE CO., Philadelphia.

The March WIDE AWAKE is a vigorous and breezy number. Rose G. Kingsley tells about the quaint Rag Market at Brighton, and fifteen pen illustrations by Joseph Pennell add interest to the text. Marion Harland has one of her characteristic stories. Miss Butterfield; Mrs. M. E. M. Davis has a charming New Orleans Carnival story, Judy's Mardi-Gras; Edith Robinson contributes Alexander the Little's Foreign Mission; Nora A. With furnishes A Windy Story, and the serials are at the high tide of interest. Told d'Apéry tells about his labors Among the Barbetos of New York; Frederick A. Ozer continues his Columbus papers by a sketch of his travels On the Shores of Cathay, and Annie Sawyer Dow tells last children can act as real boys. Wide Awake Athletics has a paper on Handling and Training a College Baseball Team, by Captain Louie Bliss of Yale, and a description of Hare and Hounds Run, by David W. Fenton, 23, of Harvard. The poems are strong and varied, and the boys and girls will upon their eyes with surprise at the story of The Real Casablanca, the hero of Mrs. Hemans's poem, as told by Henry Bacon. Price 20 cents a number, \$2.40 a year. On sale at news stands or sent postpaid on receipt of price, by D. Lothrop Company, Publishers, Boston.

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North Woburn, Mass.

Executor's Sale — OF — REAL ESTATE In Woburn, Mass.

By virtue of a license from the Probate Court within and for the County of Middlesex, dated July 20th, 1892, the subscriber, Executor of the will of William Bradley, late of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, deceased, will sell at public auction, on the premises hereinafter described, on Wednesday, the eighth day of March, 1893, at four o'clock in the afternoon, that parcel of land, with three buildings thereon, situated in said Woburn, on the easterly side of Corn Street, bounded as follows, namely:—Westerly on and by said Corn Street; northerly by and of Rose McHugh; easterly by land of Catherine E. McGuire, former of Michael McHugh; southerly by land of Philip J. McLaughlin; containing about 13,000 square feet of land; and \$100.00 will be required to be paid by the purchaser at time and place of sale, and balance in ten days.

FRANCIS McLELLAN, Executor of the will of William Bradley, deceased.

J. G. MAGUIRE, Attorney.

Woburn, February 16, 1893.

NOTICE

Is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed Executor of the will of Eliza W. Taggard, late of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, deceased, testate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bonds, as the law directs.

All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to the subscriber who has appointed George F. Bean of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, his agent.

JOHN T. BLODGETT, Esq., of Providence, R. I., January 27, 1893.

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TENEMENT: 6 rooms; corner Main and Warren Streets, Woburn; good location for business. Also, store for groceries and STORE ROOM; could be used for fuel or coal. Also, large building for Blacksmith Shop; all centrally located and convenient for all trades. Rent reasonable.

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Sheriff's Sale.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.
MIDDLESEX, SS.

February 14, 1893.

Seized and taken on execution, and will be sold at public auction, on Saturday, the 25th day of March, A. D. 1893, at four o'clock, P. M., at my office number 424 Main Street, Woburn, in said County of Middlesex, all the right, title and interest that William E. Locke of Woburn, in said County, had (liable to be taken on execution) on the 25th day of October, A. D. 1892, that being the time when the same was attached, in and to the following described real estate, to wit:—A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situated in said County of Middlesex, comprising the easterly part of lot number 4, and the westerly part of lot number 5, in the plan of land in Melrose made by George W. Butterfield, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book of Plans No. 4, Plan No. 66. Beginning at a point on the northerly side of Summer street, at its first distant easterly corner from the southeasterly corner of lot No. 3 on said plan; thence easterly on said Summer street, 60 feet; thence turning at a right angle, and running northerly as the fence now stands, 200 feet 6 inches; thence southeasterly to the corner of lot No. 3 on said plan; thence southeasterly on said land of said Littlefield, Jr., 60 feet 8 inches; thence southerly on land now owned by John W. Johnson, 175 feet 6 inches to said Summer street, to the point of beginning, being the same premises conveyed to Nancy N. Locke by John N. Adams and Nancy J. Adams, November 9, 1863, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, Book 922, Page 216.

JOHN E. TIDD, Deputy Sheriff.

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PROBATE COURT.

To the next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Mary E. Sweetser, late of Woburn, in said County, deceased, inter-

WHEREAS, application has been made to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to John W. Johnson, of Newton, in the County of Middlesex, and to exempt her from giving surety or securities on her bond pursuant to statute;

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ED. JOURNAL. Have we a Board of Health in Woburn? Certainly it will be purely by good luck if we escape a most serious epidemic of scarlet fever in Woburn. To my personal knowledge there has been no attempt at anything like isolation in the cases with which I am familiar. Only this morning I saw two children delivering milk from a house where scarlet fever rages and these two children were surrounded by others. In another case the father of a family thus afflicted took a company of school children to ride and in this same family other children were permitted to go in and out and to occupy themselves in stringing tags which were sent broadcast with the germs of disease attaching to them. One case of infection can be traced as directly as possible to this latter result. There does not seem to be the slightest effort to control this terrible disease. W. P. A.

Another Trial.

In the United States Circuit Court of Appeals (First Circuit), before Judge Colt, Putnam and Nelson, Tuesday, the suit of R. Arey et al., plaintiffs in error, et al. v. DeLozier et al., executors, defendants in error, was heard. It was an appeal from the Circuit Court for Massachusetts.

The defendants in error brought an action of tort in that Court for an infringement of a patent granted their testator, Mr. McDonald, for a machine for scouring leather. At the trial the presiding Judge read to the jury as a part of his charge an extract from the opinion of Judge Colt in another cause where the patent of Mr. McDonald was the subject of the decision.

The judgment was reversed and the case remanded to the Circuit Court, with directions to set aside the verdict and to order a new trial.—*Boston Journal.*

Let Us Pray.

Hearings have been lately held at the State House on the matter of submitting a constitutional amendment to change the State elections from annual to biennial to a popular vote in which a good deal of interest was manifested. It is not likely however that anything will be done, for is not the Legislature greater than the people? And are not the politicians all in favor of annual elections?—*Woburn Journal.*

We fear there is too much truth in this comment, but let us pray the time may come when the people will assert their rights, and refuse to pay men for resting time and causing annoyance by ill timed and senseless legislation, such as results from having "too much time to do a thing and nothing to do."—*Peabody Press.*

Standing in their Own Light.

Last Tuesday evening the city authorities of Malden gave a public hearing on petitions from the West End and East Middlesex Street Railroad Companies for permits to run electric cars over certain streets in that city. Remonstrants poured in from all quarters and although no decision was arrived at it was quite apparent to everybody present that the prayers of the Companies will be denied.

If such should be the outcome of the hearings the City Council of Malden will be entitled to the champion's belt for stupidity and folly, and also for a disregard of public interests.

Big Sewer Building.

The Metropolitan Sewerage Commissioners opened the following bids last Saturday for building section 46 of the Metropolitan Sewerage system, in Winchester, Woburn and Stoneham: Jones & Mehan, \$10,752.50; F. A. Snow, \$18,985; W. W. Byrne, \$17,830; William B. Byrne, \$17,127.50; National Construction Company, \$16,750; Dennis O'Connell, \$15,957.25; Lindsay & Culmore, \$15,786.25; F. L. Allen, \$14,901.25; Emerson & Little, \$14,407.50; Charles Linehan, \$13,781.

Heard Them Quite Recently.

A friend said to the Committee of the Innitout Canoe Club: "If you wish to give the people of Woburn a truly musical treat, you cannot do better than to engage the Brown University Glee Club. I heard them quite recently and could find nothing to criticize in the whole performance. Every number on the carefully selected programme was encoored and in several cases twice and three times."

The Committee of the Club assure the readers of the **JOURNAL** that the persons making the above remarks was well qualified to judge.

A Strong Appeal.

One of our physicians recently received the following letter from a country physician (?): "Dear dock, I have a patient, whose phisical sides shows that the windpipe was ulcerated off, and his lung have dropped into his stomach. He is unable to swallow and I fear his stomach tube is gone. I have give him every thing under heaven without effect. His father is wealthy and able and influential, he is an active member of the M. E. church and god now I don't want to lose him, what shall I do, and buy return male, yours in need."

USE DANA'S SARSAPARILLA, ITS "THE KIND THAT CURES."

Annual Election.

The Woburn Woman's Club will hold their annual meeting and election of officers at 3 o'clock this afternoon, at the residence of Mrs. Carrie M. DeLozier; Vice-Presidents, Mrs. Vanie B. Dow, Mrs. Josephine H. Carter; Recording Clerk, Mrs. Clara M. Fox; Corresponding Clerk, Mrs. Adelaide B. Porter; Treas., Mrs. Christina M. Mardock; Auditor, Mrs. Rosanna B. Tidd; Directors, Mrs. Charlotte W. Ham, 4 years; Mrs. Adele M. Trull, 4 years; Mrs. Mary C. Blanchard, 2 years.

Lane's Medicine Moves the Bowels Each Day.

In order to be healthy this is necessary.

WINCHESTER.

Mr. S. A. Holt is on the mend.

Mr. Harrison Parker has about recovered from an attack of the grip.

The mother of Hon. A. B. Coffin, 84 years old, is getting up from a severe illness.

Mr. Ayer will be elected Town Clerk with a strong opposition. That is just as it should be.

Give Col. Richardson a fair amount of money and he will give Winchester just as good roads as anybody can ask for.

Mr. C. A. Cutter, for many years Librarian of the Boston Athenaeum, has resigned. He and Mrs. Cutter expect to go to Europe this spring.

There is to be a special Town Meeting at 7.30 p. m. March 6. Five articles are in the warrant, one of which is to reduce the number of Selectmen from 5 to 3.

There is a good deal of talk heard of here of electing Mr. F. H. Nourse one of the Assessors this spring. It would be a capital move, for he is not a man in town who understands the value of real estate better, and he is noted for his strict integrity.

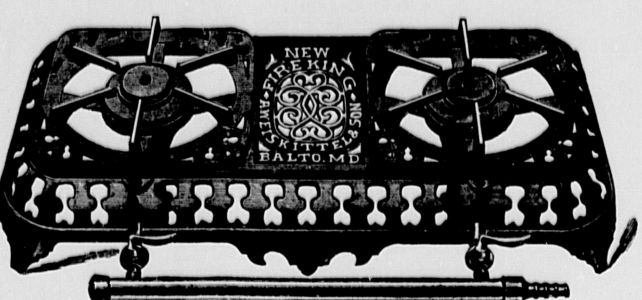
The Star never did a wiser thing than to recommend the election of Judge George S. Littlefield to the Board of Selectmen this spring. Judge Littlefield is amply qualified for the position and if he were elected, it would be the town would be a great gainer by his election.

It is thoroughly in sympathy with the ideas of modern improvements in this town and has the practical sense to carry the out to the best advantage.

By all means let us have Judge Littlefield for one of the Selectmen.

There was quite a war down here last Saturday between Col. Nat. Richardson, highwayman, and the Selectmen on one side, and employees of the No. Woburn Street Railroad Co. on the other. It was all about snow. The authorities shovelled out great ridges of snow back on to the street car tracks and the Company's employees shoveled it from the street car tracks to the sidewalk. They kept on saw-sawing in that fashion all the afternoon and it would puzzle one to decide the question of victory. It seemed as though an amicable arrangement as to the payment for the work would have been more sensible.

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By virtue of a license from the Probate Court within and for the County of Middlesex, dated July 26th, 1892, the subscriber, Executor of the will of William Bradley, late of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, deceased, will sell at public auction, on the premises hereinafter described, on **Wednesday, the eighth day of March, 1893,** at four o'clock in the afternoon, that parcel of land, with three buildings thereon, situated in said Woburn, on the easterly side of South street, bounded as follows, namely: Westerly on and by said South street; northerly by land of Row McHugh; easterly by land of Catherine E. Maccurdy, formerly of Michael McHugh; southerly by land of Philip J. McLaughlin; containing about 3,000 square feet of land. \$100.00 will be required to be paid by the purchaser at the time and place of sale, and balance in ten days.

FRANCIS BELLEVILLE, Executor of the will of William Bradley, deceased.

J. G. MAQUIRE, Attorney.

Woburn, February 16, 1893.

Insurance at Cost to All.

Insurance can be procured in sums from \$500 to \$3,000.

Members of similar orders are constantly seeking opportunities for further insurance which has led to the establishment of this Association.

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THE COST IS TRIFLING

A PICTURE.

Grandfather in his broadcloth goes
To hear the parson's Sunday prose.
He sleeps the sermon safely through,
Behind his pillar, out of view.
For never dangerous doctrine ran
From Parson Tom; he knows his man.
And feeling his salvation sure
He joins the morals with a curse,
Whereat, with giggle, all the girls
Do shake their rows of dancing curls.
Here is the flame of young romance
Ort cupid by a subtle glance,
And Ophelia beneath the rose
Of Dame Theology the rose
That quivers on Clarinda's heart
Responsive to the looks that dart
Whence Collin, tired of parables,
The herdsman's quail at the wells,
Contents him with the lovely shape
That glances through Clarinda's cape.
Among the boys some bench is cut,
Or one essays the traitor nut.
Or else, wherever with checka flame,
The kernel's tumbled in his shame,
And rolling underneath a pew
Is out of reach, but still in view.
And through the marble, and not knife
Let's wife, and yet again let's wife,
Outside his tale the blackbird spins,
The tributary thrush begins
To praise the bird melodiously
With darning tunes of melody.
And now the parson ends his prose,
The hymn is sung, grandfather goes
Serenely home, and quite assured
He profited and never sored.
And thumps the turfy path again—
Says, sleep in church is sheer disgrace.
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Hunting Leopards in India.

Mr. Simpson says that he has hunted
leopards with dogs, and has been
at several such hunts with other peo-
ple's dogs. But dogs are either too
timid or too plucky, and the plucky
ones that go to the leopard get killed.
Still the dogs help to find the leopard,
and it seems that they might have
been used with more advantage
in seeking for the leopard.
But to use dogs effectively the
sportsman must be on foot.
There is no chance of a good com-
bination of dogs with elephants, for
the latter hate the dogs and will run
away from them, and the dogs mis-
take the elephants and decline to
hunt. Finally, no use seems to have
been made of trackers, or of seeking
for the leopard by its footprints on
the mud after rain. Professional
trackers are almost unknown in Ben-
gal, but an Englishman fond of sport
teaches himself how to track,
and can impart to his knowledge to one
or more of his own native servants.
—Chambers' Journal.

Waking Up Freezing Sleepers.

One of the principal duties of the
Russian policeman is to awaken those
unfortunate who have fallen asleep
in the streets during a hard frost.
These are usually either the ivoschik
in his sledge, waiting for a fare and
dozing off ere that fare comes into
the sleep of lethargy, or drunken men
who have tripped and fallen on the
pavement and have not the energy
to get up again.
The orthodox method of awaken-
ing such sleepers is to rub their ears
violently backward and forward—a
plan specially to be recommended,
because it not only rouses the slum-
berer, but also puts him into such a
rage that he is too angry to fall
ward to fall asleep again.—Temple
Bar.

Stupid Circassian Beauty.

The Circassians, who know nothing
and are rather stupid than anything
intelligent, are physically a
faultless race, far more so than the
Germans, who, though the best
trained people in the world, display
a marked commonness of feature,
as if the great sculptor, Nature, had
used good clay, but taken no trouble
about the modeling. Some of the
very ablest among them belong to
the flat nosed, puffy cheeked, loose
lipped variety.—Million.

Know Two Much.

Woman—Got any dried currants?
Cultured Youth (from Boston)—
We have very small, sweet dried
grapes or raisins from Corinth,
Greece, formerly called "Corinths,"
but since corrupted to "currants."
Woman (switching out)—I don't
want any corrupted goods.—Good
News.

The most eminent English and
American physicians have declared
that no boy under 24 is able to stand
the enormous drafts made upon his
vitality by excessive training or
"sports" in athletic sports without
risk of impairing his strength for life.

Variations in the size of raindrops
are attributed to atmospheric dis-
turbances and to the height from
which they fall, those from a high
altitude being much the smaller.

Unless the wearing and the coming
out of mourning apparel can be ac-
complished with decency, it would
show far more respect to the dead if
it were never donned at all.

Over 50,000 Parisians, it is said,
earn a living by picking up and mak-
ing use of what other people throw
away—rags, bones, metal and such
refuse.

It is far easier, if not more natural,
for a man to love all womankind
than to be permanently devoted and
loyal to a single woman.

The Numbers Five and Six.
Five occurs as the number of fin-
gers and toes that, barring accident,
all are supposed to possess, and also
the number of petals in many flowers.
For the claims of the number six to
special consideration we may turn to
the little busy bee and count the cells
of his wonderful honeycomb.—New
York News.

You cannot create a big business
in an hour. All the large houses in
New York City were once little con-
cerns. That is the trouble with the
rising generation. They want to
commence at the top instead at the bottom.

Sacchini declared that he never
had any moments of inspiration ex-
cept when his two favorite cats were
sitting upon each shoulder.

It is stated that the percentage of
accidents since the Forth bridge has
been opened has been greater than
while it was being made.

SABBATH KEEPING.

LESSON XI, FIRST QUARTER, INTER-
NATIONAL SERIES, MARCH 5.Text of the Lesson, Neh. xiii, 15-22—Mem-
ory Verses, 17, 18—Golden Text, Ex.
xx, 8—Commentary by the Rev. D. M.
Stearns.

This chapter gives an account of the dis-
cipline of Nehemiah in separating from
Israel the mixed multitude, and in cleans-
ing Israel from all strangers with whom
they had become entangled by marriage
(verses 15, 20). It tells also of the discipline
in reference to Sabbath desecration, which
is our special lesson for the day; but before
taking this up we will consider the danger of
being entangled and hindered by a mixed
multitude. When Israel left Egypt a com-
pany of that kind went with them, and
taunted them with their idolatry (Ex. xii, 38;
Num. xi, 4). Much trouble in the church
today arises from the people who are half
and half—the worldly church members
who are neither one thing nor the other.
If any think that the restoration under
Zerubbabel and the reformation of Ezra
and Nehemiah had the proper conse-
quence, let them compare Isa. xiv, 1-3;
Neh. ix, 36, 37. If any think that we
are now in the millennial age, or that
the church with her present zeal will
bring that age, let them be honest enough
to believe what is written, and they will
only see that the Lord Himself must
some day restore Israel's restoration and to
introduce the millennial age (Ps. cii, 16; Acts
iii, 19-21).

15. "In those days saw I in Judah some
treading wine presses on the Sabbath,"
Then he enumerates their other deeds of
Sabbath breaking and says that he testi-
fied against them. The Sabbath was in-
stituted in Eden before ever sin entered this
world, and when God wrote with His finger
the Commandments on two tablets of stone
He said, "Remember the Sabbath day." That
man should give unto God one-seventh of
his time is a law from the beginning and of perpetual obligation.

16. "Then dwelt men of Tyre also, who
sold on the Sabbath unto the children of
Judah, and to the Jews, wine, and all such
things as they desired." These men were
Israelites indeed; but they were prone to
forsake His house and despise His word
(1 Chron. xxi, 16), for they had returned
from captivity and left their idols their
hearts still went after them. In the days of
Malaiah, when they robbed God in tithes
and offerings and said that it was vain to
serve God (Mal. ii, 8, 14).

17. "Then I contended with the nobles of
Judah and said unto them, What evil
thing is this that ye do and profane the
Sabbath day?" In verse 11 we read that
He contended with them because they had
forsaken the house of God. The house of
God was the temple, and the law of God
was His special delight, if they were
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18. "Did not our fathers thus? Yet ye
bring me wrath upon Israel by profaning
the Sabbath." Although judgment had
overtaken their fathers, yet they continue
in the same sins, for not until the Ethio-
pian can change his skin and the leopard
his spots can the Jews be saved. The law
is the same, and the penalty is the same.
"An empty man can give understanding when a
wild ass is born a man" (Job xi, 12; R. V.,
margin). Nothing will make the man
he ought to be, but a new heart, a birth
from above, and this is a new creation ac-
complished by the work and the spirit of
God. It is the gift of God (Ezek. xxxvi,
26), and nothing can deprive one of it. But
refusal to receive.

19. "And some of my servants set at
the gates, that there should be no burden
brought in on the Sabbath day." There is
nothing as compelling law-breakers to be
obedient as the presence of the spirit of
Nehemiah there would not be the
Sabbath desecration which is increasingly
prevalent before the coming of the
God who will hold our rulers responsible for
all that they can prevent of evil and do not.
But to be personal, there are such com-
mon men as these, who are often more
avid every weight and the sin which doth
so easily beset us. "Let us cleanse our-
selves from all unrighteousness of the flesh
and spirit." "Put off the old man with his
deeds" (Eph. xi, 2; II Cor. vii, 1; Col. iii,
9). And these we are bound to obey if we
would know in our daily life anything of
the meaning of true Sabbath rest.

20. "So the merchants and sellers of all
kind of ware lodged without Jerusalem
once or twice, and the city rulers had the
doers of evil ought to put to shame the
followers of Jesus. Those who desire to do
away with the Sabbath are often more
loyal and persevering than those who
bear the name of Jesus and ought to stand
for His holy day. Oh, to be filled with
the Spirit of God and have at heart the
interests of His kingdom!"

21. "From that time forth came they no
more into Jerusalem." He testified against
them and threatened to lay hands on them;
then they saw that he meant it, and de-
sisted. We live in the Nineteenth century,
the most advanced period of the world's
history, but where are the Nehemiahs,
the Daniels, and the men who have at
heart above all things the honor and glory
of God? To come again to the text, a
little while ago—the Sabbath is the soul
of a believer—we will not know it un-
less we stand as decidedly against every
setting sin and every phase of the self life
as did Nehemiah against these Sabbath
breakers.

22. "Remember me, O my God, con-
cerning this, and spare me according to
the greatness of Thy mercy." The proper
men were set apart to see that the
Sabbath should be sanctified, and they
were men ceremonially clean. We must be
clean in heart and life if we would be of
use to our Lord against evil and evil-doers.
As to keeping His holy day, be sure that
thou art clean of heart and of world and
in order on that day, but the whole day is
for Him and Him only (Isa. lvi, 13, 14).
See how Nehemiah, after all his efforts in
the service of God, takes refuge in the
mercy of God. By grace are we saved, in
grace we stand, and it is grace that shall
be brought unto us at the revelation of
Jesus Christ. Salvation from beginning
to end is of grace, but for our sins we
shall be rewarded if done unto Him
(Eph. ii, 8, 9; Rom. ix, 5; xiv, 1; Cor. iii,
11-15).

Admitted the Facts.

Newspaper editors have to be very careful
in opening their columns for statements
But aware that the Dr. Miles Medical Co.,
are responsible, we make room for the
following testimonial from R. McDougall,
Auburn, Ind., who for two years noticed a
stoppage or skipping of the pulse, his left
side got so tender he could not lie on it, his
left fluttered, he was alarmed, went to
different doctors, found no relief, but one
bottle of Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure cured
him. The elegant book, "New and Start-
ling Facts," free at the Buss Pharmacy. It
tells all about Heart and Nervous Diseases
and many wonderful cures.

Miss Ella Hale, of Upper Sandusky,
Ohio, lost her voice while coughing
five years ago. The other day she ex-
perienced a similar coughing spell, and
after it had subsided found that her
voice had returned. Doctors are un-
able to explain.

For the destruction of microbes cin-
namon is said to be as effective, if not
as quick, as corrosive sublimate.

A SUNNY NATURE.

Lovely Woman's Best and
Greatest Charm.What a Bright and Attractive
Woman Has to Say to Her Sisters.HOW A HAPPY AND JOYOUS NATURE CAN BE
ACQUIRED.

Women make the sunshine of life.
Did you ever watch the flowers turn to
irresistible persistence toward the sunlight?
So does the bright, joyous, sunny nature
of a woman, irresistibly attract all to her
light-hearted, merry, and buoyant spirits.
Such a nature makes glad the heart; it
makes happy the time.

For a man, all the anxiety of business,
the weight of care, the gloom and depres-
sion of spirits are dispersed as clouds by
the sun before the bright smile of a joyous,
happy wife.

It follows no less surely that a cross
woman, one never pleased, always fault-
finding, discontented and unhappy, will
repel all who approach her, and make those
who would have shrunk from her society.
Now, the first requisite of good health is
good health. No one out of health can
have bounding spirits and feel particularly
good-natured.

If a woman feels nervous, weak, tired,
languid, listless and miserable, experiences
a faintness, sense of fulness after eating,
frequent headaches, constipated bowels,
frequent headaches, weak and listless,
and unrefreshing sleep, weak back, back-
ache, dragging down pains, irregularities,
frequent headaches, weak and listless, and
impossible for her to be high-spirited and
happy.

And in the spring these feelings are very
prevalent, and the system after the winter
feeling, and with returning health, her
all-time spirits will come back.
If women will follow closely the advice
and example of our bright and attractive
correspondent, Mrs. Elmer Craig, of Le
Roy, Ill., they can easily attain both health
and good spirits.

"I was stricken with nervous disease,"
writes Mrs. Craig, "which affected my
head, heart and stomach. I doctored with
physicians of my town, but got no relief
from the terrible sick headaches, pains in the
heart and stomach until I used Dr. Greene's
Nervura blood and nerve remedy. Before
using this wonderful medicine, the nerves
in my eyes were so affected that I feared
that I would lose my sight. I would get so
nervous and weak I could not walk across
the room without severe palpitations of the
heart. I had not taken one bottle of Dr.
Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy,
before my head and eyes were cleared of
all pain, and I am growing stronger every
day. I cannot do half justice in the
praise of this medicine."

This wonderful remedy is the greatest
blessing to women ever discovered, and by
its use you can be restored to sound, vigorous
and healthy womanhood. By all means use
it now, in the spring, for every body needs
spring medicine at this season of the year.
This is the best of all spring medicines and
is recommended as such by the doctors, to
regulate the blood, strengthen the nerves
and start up the natural action of all the
organs. You can procure it at the druggists,
for \$1, and it is purely vegetable and harm-
less. Indeed, it is the prescription of the
great specialist in chronic diseases, Dr.
Greene, of 34 Temple Place, Boston, Mass.,
who gives consultation free personally or
by letter. Use it and it will bring vigor
strength to your nerves, freshness to your
complexion, brightness to your eyes, the
glow of health to your cheeks, elasticity to
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There was an extremely ludicrous
and noticeable performance in
Portland church Sunday. In the
middle of the service the sexton was
seen to tiptoe up the aisle and whis-
per to a well known physician, who
picked up his coat and hat and start-
ed out. In about two minutes an
equally well known undertaker who
sat about six seats farther up the
same aisle picked up his coat and
hat and also tiptoe up his way out,
evidently desiring it a case of sui-
cidal and desiring to be in time.—
Bangor Commercial.

A Family Ticket.
Mr. Suburb—See here! What did
you take up my family commutation
ticket for?
Railroad Superintendent—That
ticket has been presented to our con-
ductors by forty different women
within a month.
Mr. Suburb—That's all right. They
were servant girls.—New York
Weekly.

PRACTICAL WOMAN'S RIGHTS.

A Lesson In Street Car Etiquette Taught
by a Boston Girl.

It was between 6 and 7 o'clock in
the evening, and the Tremont street
car was crowded. A good many of
the passengers were workingmen,
and those who were fortunate enough
to have a seat, even if it was a very
narrow one, seemed to lose half the
pleasure of it in watching the door
every time the car stopped. It was
Elm street, however, without an in-
vasion of the fair sex. Then five or
six of them got on board. The ma-
jority of the new comers were young
and pretty and of that type whose
best method for making the best
advantage of the street car is to sit
on the seats and feel uneasy if they
happen to be sitting.

One of the arrivals, however, was
a motherly looking woman, whose
every feature indicated that she had
"a will of her own."

Several of the young girls had re-
sented the seats they meant to have
when they had gazed their respect-
occupants out of them, and one young
man with a careworn look, who knew
he was a victim, but did not want to
give up the battle, decided to com-
promise rather than acknowledge his
defeat.

He got up and offered his seat to
the motherly looking woman.

Instead of quietly dropping into the
vacancy, as is usual in such cases,
the woman turned and said:
"No, thank you, sir. I am as well
able to stand as you are. You had
better keep your seat." Then, warn-
ing caution to a lot of young girls
who were looking on, she said:
"I cannot understand this nonsense
of giving up everything to women,
as if they were poor, weak creatures,
unable to stand. Here is a carful of
men who have been working hard all
day and want a rest on their way
home, but they are supposed to give
up their seats to a lot of young girls
who have nothing to do but saunter
through the stores all day long and
have not foregone enough to go home
before the cars become crowded. I
think it simply ridiculous. It is a
good while since I have been on a
street car at this time of the day, and
I propose to see if I can't get a seat
to leave the seats to those who have
the best right to them."

The young man looked confused, a
number of the older men shook their
heads approvingly, others looked on
in wonder, and the girls for whose
benefit the seats were apparently
made seemed undecided whether to
giggle or pout. They cast longing
glances at the vacant seat, but not
one of them had the courage to drop
into it.

The car stopped. A young woman
got on board. She looked at the deep
red cushion at the girls who were
hanging on the straps, and seemed
unable to understand it. A
smile went around the car, and for
several blocks there was a vacant
seat in a crowded electric.—Boston
Herald.

Condition of Indian Partials.
The condition of the unfortunate
partials in India continues to occupy
the attention of philanthropic per-
sons. Apart from a series of careful
investigations undertaken by the mis-
sionaries, Mr. Trenemore, the col-
lector of Chingleput, has been per-
sonally investigating the condition of
the partials, and he has embodied the result in
a report to the government. While the
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their allegations, Mr. Trenemore has
been severely rebuked by the govern-
ment, who pronounce his state-
ments "sensational," and declare his
proposals to be "utterly impracticable."

Yet those who have a personal
knowledge of the unhappy victims
of caste prejudice declare that they
are oppressed by a system which can
only be removed by the action of
the government. They are like the
proposals to be "utterly impracticable."

Reducing One's Size.
We have the authority of Edwin
Checkley, physiatrist, that men
wear corsets frequently when the in-
creasing size of the chest and waist
belt gives indications of what Check-
ley mildly calls "advancing natu-
rality." But anybody may get rid of
that accumulation of fat, which is a
dead weight away as to one's age, the
physiatrist says. The fat gathers be-
fore the region about the waist be-
cause that part of the body gets no
exercise.

The remedies proposed for taking
away the fat deposits are: first, deep
and slow breathing; second, working
the muscles of the abdominal region
in and out. As to the breathing,
who gives consultation free personally or
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pose of hiding the color of unhealth-
y or stale meat which may have been
used. Jams, especially plum jams,
are generally dyed with aniline col-
ors, and sugar confectionery is hardly
ever without such artificial dye. Ale
is darkened with burned sugar, as
also are brandies and whiskies.

It must be admitted that in by far
the majority of these cases the color
used is entirely harmless and has no
influence on the health of the con-
sumer. Yet there are a number of
aniline colors which are positively
poisonous even when pure. Such
colors are picric acid and its salts,
muriatic yellow, safranine, methylene
blue, dimethocresol and aurantia.

Others, unobjectionable in them-
selves, become poisonous owing to
their mode of manufacture, which
saves in the products poisonous im-
purities such as arsenic, cadmium,
salts of copper, tin or zinc. The man-
ufacturer of sausages or jams has
not the least idea whether the color
he uses may not belong to one or
other of the above, to which doubt-
less many others could be added, and
even if the quality of color consumed
by one individual may be exceedingly
small it is palpably evident that no
such manufacturer should have the
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Reducing One's Size.
We have the authority of Edwin
Checkley, physiatrist, that men
wear corsets frequently when the in-
creasing size of the chest and waist
belt gives indications of what Check-
ley mildly calls "advancing natu-
rality." But anybody may get rid of
that accumulation of fat, which is a
dead weight away as to one's age, the
physiatrist says. The fat gathers be-
fore the region about the waist be-
cause that part of the body gets no
exercise.

The remedies proposed for taking
away the fat deposits are: first, deep
and slow breathing; second, working
the muscles of the abdominal region
in and out. As to the breathing,
who gives consultation free personally or
by letter. Use it and it will bring vigor
strength to your nerves, freshness to your
complexion, brightness to your eyes, the
glow of health to your cheeks, elasticity to
your step, and that happiness and enjoy-
ment of life which you have missed so long.

Out of one hundred and thirty-four
men in the freshman class at Amherst
College, only sixteen used tobacco.

THE KIND THAT CURES

GEORGE H. COLE, JR.,
BOSTON, MASS.

IT CURES! : : : :

MR. GEORGE H. COLE, JR. is a well-known
physician, and has been practicing for many
years in Boston, Mass. He has a large
practice, and is well known to all who
suffer from the following ailments: Rheu-
matism, Gout, Gravel, etc.

Let February 7 be taken with "L.A.
Grippe" and was confined by my cold
for four weeks. As soon as I could sit up I began
using

DANA'S SARSAPARILLA

A soon weight a wonderful change.
The "Grippe" had left me in a terrible con-
dition. I had lost my appetite, and my
back of head. I was weak, and I could
hardly walk. I began using Dana's SARSAPARILLA
and in a few days I was a perfect cure. I would
not advise it.

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Kills all pain!
Unexcelled as
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Indispensable
In your home!
Buy the genuine
SALVATION OIL.
Sold for 25 cts.

There was an extremely ludicrous
and noticeable performance in
Portland church Sunday. In the
middle of the service the sexton was
seen to tiptoe up the aisle and whis-
per to a well known physician, who
picked up his coat and hat and start-
ed out. In about two minutes an
equally well known undertaker who
sat about six seats farther up the
same aisle picked up his coat and
hat and also tiptoe up his way out,
evidently desiring it a case of sui-
cidal and desiring to be in time.—
Bangor Commercial.

A Family Ticket.
Mr. Suburb—See here! What did
you take up my family commutation
ticket for?
Railroad Superintendent—That
ticket has been presented to our con-
ductors by forty different women
within a month.
Mr. Suburb—That's all right. They
were servant girls.—New York
Weekly.

THE NEXT MORNING I FEEL BRIGHT AND

A Choice Line of
Scotch and Domestic Gingham— AT —
COPELAND & BOWSER.
355 Main Street.**MARCH NOTICE.**Now is the time to begin taking a good **Spring Medicine** to purify the blood and prepare it for the Hot Summer Weather coming. The best article to do this is**Buss's Compound Extract Sarsaparilla,**

Which we guarantee to give satisfaction or money refunded. Only 50c. a bottle, at

GOODWIN & HIGLEY, Prescription Pharmacists,
304 Main Street, Woburn.

Be sure you get one of our new pamphlets issued the first of March, for it contains some valuable information FREE.

It Tastes GoodOne reason why *Scott's Emulsion* of Pure Norwegian Cod Liver Oil and Hypophosphites of Lime and Soda has had such a large sale is because it is "Almost as palatable as milk," but the best reason is that its curative properties are unequalled. It cures the cough, supplies the waste of tissues, produces flesh and builds up the entire system.**Scott's Emulsion**
Cures Coughs, Colds, Consumption, Scrofula, and all Anemic and Wasting Diseases. Prevents wasting in children. Almost as palatable as milk. Get only the genuine. Prepared by Scott & Bowne, Chemists, New York. Sold by all Druggists.**Wall Papers**Largest Stock in the City.
And Lowest Prices.Room Mouldings, Window Shades, &c. Picture Frames made to order.
Painters and Paper Hangers furnished.**C. E. SMITH, 439 Main St., Woburn.****FERTILIZERS.****GET THE BEST!**

We have the sole agency for the Bowker Fertilizer Co.'s Stockbridge Special Complete Manures, also, Bradley's Fertilizers, this season. It will be remembered that the largest crops of potatoes ever grown on fertilizers alone, were grown on these Fertilizers exclusively. We would like your order for Fertilizers, Chemicals, Bone or Plaster. We make a special discount for cash on large quantities. Before you purchase, see us. Quality guaranteed, we will not be undersold.

CUMMINGS, CHUTE & CO., 9 to 21 High St., Woburn.**Encouraging Him.**
ED. JOURNAL: I trust that every encouragement and many helpful words will be extended to our Mayor, by one who have any realizing sense of the zeal and thoroughness with which he is following up illegal rum-selling. He is certainly fulfilling his anti-election pledges, an even rare enough in the case of most officers to be worthy of note.

It is pleasant to think that when no license actually prevails and our streets are once more freed from the low grogeries and doggeries that have so long polluted the atmosphere, there is a prospect of Woburn's taking its appropriate place among the respected and intelligent communities of our commonwealth. When that time comes, we can look to an appreciation in our estate, a loftier public spirit and steadily increasing inducements for families to settle in our city which has really many attractions to offer. Then, too, may we not expect business blooming and industry to be more in keeping with the progressive spirit of the times than the heterogeneous and unprepossessing assortment of buildings which line our main thoroughfare, barring a few notable exceptions?

There can be little doubt that the question of Woburn is bound up in the definite position she takes on the liquor question. The people are to be a permanent one and that her officers may see it if they are diligent with it, and we are glad to learn that Mr. Clarke is doing a good business as its local agent.

A Beautiful Book.
Mr. J. P. Clarke of this city is canvassing for subscribers to "Scenes in Every Land" which is a work comprising 500 photographic pictures of scenes in foreign parts with a succinct description of each, the whole forming a large and very handsome volume. An introduction to the work is written by General Lew Wallace, author of "Ben Hur," and the numerous contributors to its pages include many of the most prominent names connected with American literature. The beautiful work is edited by Thomas Lowell Knox, an old Army Correspondent and well known literary tour.

The price of the book ranges from \$3 to \$8 according to the kind of binding furnished, and is very cheap, especially in view of the costly character of the work, pictorial, literary and mechanical. The volume needs only to be seen to be admired. Everyone is delighted with it, and we are glad to learn that Mr. Clarke is doing a good business as its local agent.

His Cabinet.
The following are the names of President Cleveland's Cabinet who were confirmed on Monday by the Senate:
Walter Q. Gresham of Illinois, Secretary of the Treasury.
John G. Carlisle of Kentucky, Secretary of the Treasury.
Daniel S. Lamont of New York, Secretary of War.
Richard Olney of Massachusetts, Attorney General.
Wilson S. Bissell of New York, Postmaster General.
Billey A. Herbert of Alabama, Secretary of the Navy.
Hoke Smith of Georgia, Secretary of the Interior.
Julius S. Morton of Nebraska, Secretary of Agriculture.**TO RENT.**
WOBURN HOTEL.
Apply to 29 Warren St.Woburn Post Office.
Letters addressed as follows awaited owners March 9, 1893—
W. B. Brown
Mr. Samuel Meloney
A. B. WYMAN, P. M.

Dr. Doddridge was the son of an oil dealer.

Burlington.

James L. O'Brien died at his home in Burlington, February 29, aged twenty years and five months. A great loss befalls a community when a young man, just entered upon life, with all its promise and opportunities for usefulness, is suddenly "called up higher" into the company of those who have in the very presence of the King. James was taken ill February 17, with that dread disease, cerebro spinal meningitis. His sickness was so short and his death so sudden that those who were nearest and dearest to him in the home can hardly yet realize that he has left that home forever, and though they may go to him, he shall not return to them. James was a young man who gave promise of a noble and useful life. Among his young companions he will long be missed and mourned. He was a good brother and an affectionate, obedient son to his mother, cheering the lonely days of her widowhood and striving to help her in every way love could suggest. So it is that he has left sweet and blessed memories behind him which will never fade but brighten as the years go on. When the young leave us we must remember that it is not length of days that makes life.

"He liveth long who liveth well."
This dear son and brother may, in his short life of a score of years, have accomplished more good than others whose days are prolonged to three-score and ten. So we bid him "Farewell!" His is the crown without the conflict, the victory without the battle. Only a few years ago we were called upon to write similar words for his sister Annie. Now brother and sister are reunited with others of the family gone before, and the home circle grows in Heaven.**Melrose's Water Supply.**

Engineer M. M. Tidd (of Woburn), who, as requested, made a survey of several ponds in the vicinity of Melrose during the past few months with the idea of securing them as a water supply for the town, has submitted his report. * * * Mr. Tidd says that the only body of water which is worthy of any serious attention is the Great Pond at Andover. It has very clean shores, is high above the sea and catches therefrom 3,500,000 gallons per day. * * * The report concludes: "So far as examinations have thus far been made, it would seem that the Great Pond at Andover is the only real available supply within a reasonable distance. This is, however, so far away that it seems too large a scheme for Melrose alone; but if Malden, Medford and Melrose could unite upon this pond, there is no doubt but that an ample supply of excellent water can be obtained for the entire three town for many years to come."

USE DANA'S SARSAPARILLA, ITS "THE KIND THAT CURES."

North Woburn.

Everything is serene up here just now. Snowdrifts are still rampant in this village.

The Unitarians, always wide awake and progressive, are preparing for an entertainment that will draw. At least, such is the report.

The North Congregational church people talk of giving a grand entertainment to secure funds for parish purposes. It is understood that an improved edition of the "Deedrick Schuch" is in rehearsal for it. Mr. Perry would make a capital "skule master."

Another Grown from Stoneham.

This time the East Middlesex did not clear the streets of snowdrifts as promptly as the Stonehamites thought they ought. And the local papers went so far as to wink at Stoneham's fault-finding, if indeed they did not originate it.

Well, if the good people of that charming little burg derive any comfort from pitching into the East Middlesex then let them do it—their pitching in is entirely harmless.

Literary Notices.

The March number of THE COTTAGE HEARTH is filled with entertaining and useful matter which, it cannot be doubted, will be prized, particularly by the ladies. It is nearly all written especially for this sterling magazine by writers who stand in the front ranks in the profession and is of a high grade. The illustrations of the number are good, while the fashions and domestic departments are excellent by those of no monthly in the land.

We give THE JOURNAL (\$2 a year) and THE COTTAGE HEARTH (\$1.50 a year) for \$2.00 paid in advance.

WINCHESTER.

Steamer Engineer M. J. Flaherty has resigned.

Mr. Charles Sanderson is a candidate for Selectman.

Nobody envied Chief Richardson his job of scattering copies of the Town Warrant for the special meeting. It was tough.

The Young Ladies Violet Club will give their first party in Town Hall on April 7.

The election of Directors of the Women's Auxiliary, Y. M. C. A., will be held on Tuesday evening, March 14. A general attendance is requested.

It looks very much as though Judge George S. Littlefield would be a member of the next Board of Selectmen. He is one of the best men in the whole town for the place.

Our annual Town Meeting comes two weeks hence and already great preparations are making for it. If it is not a lively one the most of us will be greatly disappointed.

It is said that in certain aristocratic circles the prospect of a large accession to the foreign element in the town is not wholly pleasing.

The voters of the Highlands ought to make J. H. Winn's "calling and election" to the town. He has served the town to good purpose as Selectman and deserves to be elected again. And will be.

Sergeant S. Symmes, Winchester correspondent of the *New England Homestead*, is back from Georgia. His well written and interesting letters in the *Star* have not read with pleasure by many.

Not a few of our principal tax-payers will regret to learn that Mr. F. H. Noyes, the real estate and insurance Assessor, declines to stand as a candidate for Assessor. He would make a good one.

In a recent number of the *New England Farmer* is a fine picture of a field of caulimatoes raised by J. Farrington & Sons of this town last season. In the centre the many form of caulimatoes can be recognized. This field probably produced as fine a crop of caulimatoes as was ever seen in the vicinity of Boston.

The Goddard manufacturing plant on Cross street is expected to get to running at an early day. They will make the McKay shoe invention goods and it will be a big thing for Winchester.

About next Saturday, if nothing splits, the Boston *Frederic* will give a full account of the Works accompanied with plans and plans of them. The Screen Manufacturing Co., near the McKay shoe factory, will also be a big thing for our town. The two establishments will employ a great number of hands.

(From the Winchester Star.)

Is not a Candidate.

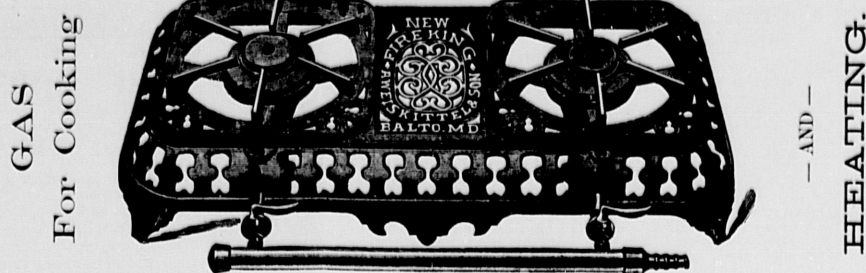
My Dear Sir:—I see my name coupled with the Office of Assessor in the Winchester Star. While I appreciate the compliment, I desire to say that I am not a candidate for any town office. The Office of Assessor is a important one and should be filled by a competent man, who knows the values of property and is able to assess at what he considers a fair value. I do not believe in rating property at an nominal price, because the property is not productive, while a fair cash price is offered. If the present owner will not improve the property, sell it to some one who will do so, thus increase the value and make more taxable property. We depend upon the Assessors to raise the money to pay our taxes.

Yours truly, F. H. NOYES.

Winchester, Mar. 1, 1893.

Lane's Medicine Moves the Bowels Each Day.

In order to be healthy this is necessary.

**REDUCTION**

— IN THE —

PRICE OF GAS!

The WOBURN GAS LIGHT COMPANY desire to announce to the citizens of Woburn that the price of Gas to consumers from April 1st, 1893, will be

\$1.80 per 1,000 cubic feet,

With a discount on all bills paid on or before the 15th day of the month in which they are due of 20 cents per 1,000 feet.

The above price is lower than that of any other Company doing the same amount of business in Massachusetts, and we respectfully solicit the patronage of the citizens.

R. J. MONKS, Agent and Treasurer.

The Woburn Gas Light Company

Desire to call special attention of the citizens of Woburn to the economies and cleanliness of

Gas Stoves and Gas Appliances.

The price of Gas in Woburn is LOWER than the price in any other city of the Commonwealth when the amount of business is considered: while the use of Gas as fuel is very much larger in many other places.

Now is the time to secure a GAS STOVE avoiding unnecessary heat and ashes. The Gas Company can refer to many citizens, and will be pleased to show and explain various forms of stoves and appliances which will be sold to our customers at the manufacturers' prices to the trade.

R. J. MONKS, Agent.

Woburn, Feb. 1, 1893.

We, the undersigned residents of Woburn, are using, for Cooking and other household purposes, Gas Stoves, purchased from the Woburn Gas Light Co., and cheerfully recommend them as being more economical and as satisfactory in results as the ordinary Cooking Range, without trouble from dust or ashes, always ready for use, and giving a much cooler kitchen in summer.

Mrs. Frances W. Hill,
" Geo. A. Hobbs,
" Chas. D. Adams,
" H. B. Hayes,
" G. E. Jones,
" M. Hayward,
" C. H. Buss,
" Fred R. Slater,
" A. B. Barrett,
" Wm. N. Titus,
" J. A. Day,
" H. L. Andrews,
" Wm. Wint.Mrs. J. B. McDonald,
" M. A. Ham,
" E. F. Johnson,
" S. T. Brigham,
" F. W. Crosby,
" Mary C. Blanchard,
" Webster Woodman,
" Chas. A. Nichols,
" Fred. J. Ham,
" Miss Hattie A. Kenney,
" Mrs. Herbert B. Dow,
" Frank F. Dodge.Mrs. Frank H. Elliott,
" G. F. Rodick,
" E. A. Wood,
" J. W. Johnson,
" Benj. Hinkley,
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" Jacob Brown,
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Cleanses the Nasal Passages,
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Try the Cure. HAY-FEVER
A particle is applied into each nostril and is agreeable. Price 50 cents at Druggists; by mail, registered 60 cents.
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Men's Fine Calf
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\$5.00 PAIR
ALL CORRECT SPRING STYLES
Now Ready
6500 Pairs made during 1892.
Our popular \$3.00 and \$4.00 Shoes cannot be equalled.
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The long spring is never made now.
Now it is the
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Genuine, Jeweled, Accurate, Handsome.
See it.
All jewelers sell it. All styles, \$4 to \$15.**WANTED.**
Special Agent in and about Woburn for old established and prominent Insurance Company. All expenses paid. Large return can be made. Address G. Box 2685, Boston, Mass.**TAKE NOTICE EVERYBODY!**
That we are now furnishing the famous Tenney's Magic Glycerine Soap
AT THE RATE OF 16 BARS FOR ONE DOLLAR.
Whereas, we formerly furnished but 12 bars for the dollar; so if you have never tried it you will make NO MISTAKE in sending to us your order for a dollar package at once, or be ready when called upon to place order, as all goods furnished by us are warranted to give entire satisfaction or money promptly refunded.
All grades of IMPORTED CASTLE and Toilet Soaps always at hand, together with Soaps for manufacturing purposes.
Orders promptly attended to.**S. R. FRENCH,**
North Woburn, Mass.
Miss Edith E. Ramsdell
— AND —
Miss Elvira L. Cousins,
Graduates of the Emerson College of Oratory, will give a Recital in
MUSIC HALL,
On March 16, 1893,
They will be assisted by
Prof. Walter B. Tripp, Reader.
Miss Sola Furman, Soprano.
Reserved Seats, 50 & 35c.
Tickets for sale after Monday, Feb. 27, at A. W. Wheeler's Drugstore.**For Sale.**
Real Estate, Etc.
Dwellings, Farms, Building Lots and property for investment. Apply to W. H. CUMMINGS, Real Estate Agent, 19 Beach St., Woburn.**Spring Garments and Suits****JUST RECEIVED!**

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The Mutual Life Insurance Co.
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For the Year Ending December 31, 1892.**Assets, \$175,084,156.61.**

Reserve for Policies (American Table 4 per cent.) \$150,181,067 00

Miscellaneous Liabilities, Surplus, 25,903 61

INCOME. 15,109,233 94

Premiums, 82,047,763 34

Interest, Rents, &c., 5,191,099 90

Disbursements. \$40,238,860 24

To Policy-Holders, \$19,286,532 40

For Expenses and Taxes, 7,439,611 08

The Assets are Invested as follows: \$20,800,143 54

United States Bonds and other Securities, \$65,820,454 89

Loans on Bond and Mortgages, 69,348,092 14

Loans on Stocks and Bonds, 10,384,097 50

Real Estate, 15,038,884 20

Cash in Banks and Trust Companies, 7,806,674 50

Accrued Interest, Deferred Premiums, &c., 6,075,474 87

\$175,084,156 61

Insurance and Annuities. \$654,000,566 00

Insurance in Force, 745,790,030 00

Annuities in Force, 302,006 01

Increase in Annuities, 82,773 98

Increase in Payments to Policy-Holders, 630,820 90

Increase in Receipts, 2,004,130 71

Increase in Surplus, 3,127,250 78

Increase in Assets, 15,077,017 93

Increase in Insurance Assumed and Renewed, 47,737,763 00

Increase in Insurance in Force, 50,290,925 00

The A. O. F. H.

Is the latest Insurance organization established in this city under the law of Massachusetts its purpose is to give

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Insurance can be procured in sums from \$500 to \$3,000. Members of similar orders are constantly seeking opportunities for further insurance which has led to the establishment of this Association.

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clasp.
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ABALLAD OF TREES AND THE MASTER

Into the woods my Master went,
Clear forest, forest,
Into the woods my Master came
Foremost with love and shame,
But the trees they were not blind to him,
The little gray leaves were kind to him,
The trees they had a mind to him,
When into the woods he came.

Out of the woods my Master went,
And he was well content,
Out of the woods my Master came,
Content with death and shame,
When death and shame would woo him last,
From under the trees they drew him last,
When on a tree they drew him last,
When out of the woods he came.

—Sidney Lanier.

Explanation of a Sword Trick.

A trick in which a sword is apparently passed through a person's abdomen is explained as follows: The sword employed is a thin, flexible, dull blade. The prestidigitator, whose body the sword will simply pass around, is not pierced, conceals the sword in a sheath that consists of a long tube, semi-circular in shape, the two extremities of which are bent in contrary directions in such a way that they are situated in the same straight line, the two orifices opening in front and behind at right angles with the abdomen. This tube runs around the further side of the man, who, appearing instinctively to grasp the point of the sword as if to protect himself, directs it into the metallic tube. The flexible sword makes its exit between the tails of the coat. It is necessary to operate rapidly, so that the spectators shall not have time to see that the length of the sword has diminished, the curved line that it follows not being the shortest passage from one point to another.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

A Deaf Man at the Opera.

When opera was running in New York, there was no more attentive member of the audience than a slight, fair man, who was perfect in dress and had a pleasant, picturesque manner. He was always present with his wife, but it was noticed that they rarely talked together, and he never seemed to take offense, as so many of the audience used to do, at the talking and laughter in the boxes. He was stone deaf. He enjoyed the music, and the pictures, and the groupings, and he went to the opera to see it. He could sometimes get the gist of a sentence by watching the lips of a speaker, but he had not even that comfort at operas where the singing was done in German and Italian.—New York Sun.

Novel Beartrap.

The early settlers of Bethel, Me., were much troubled by black bears, who killed the sheep, robbed the beehives and raided the cornfields. A farmer, whose corn, being in the milk, attracted the bears, placed a tub of new rum and molasses in the field. The next morning he found a large bear stretched out beside it, dead. The tub was empty. When rum was put in, he found himself securely chained.

The Order of an Old Library.

The library of the old owner of the town of Bethel, Me., was a curious collection of old leather, a curious damask, grave and wise antiquity embodied in a scent. Habitués of the Athenaeum library know it in its perfection when they climb the corkscrew stairs and grope through the narrow, echoing galleries and half lit rooms packed to the ceiling with faded, dirty volumes whose very names are a lesson in ancient history.—Boston Commonwealth.

A Method of Procedure.

"Some time ago there was a bank failure at Dallas," said Alex Somers of Temple, Tex., at the St. James. "There was a pompous, ignorant man who was one of the bank's directors at the time of its suspension. He was seen coming down the steps from the directors' room immediately after the doors of the bank had been closed, and an anxious depositor bemoaned him and asked:

"Now, what are you going to do for us creditors? How much shall we get?"

"Sir," responded the director, "we shall immediately proceed to collect the debts and make a practical division of the surplus."—St. Louis Republic.

Parson Philanthropy.

Perhaps the most distinctive feature about Parson philanthropy is that it is defrayed not from a large capital sum, but out of the incomes of the donors, and in this respect it far surpasses in proportion and merit the notorious but probably more calculating charitable outlay of the Jews.—London Globe.

To Prevent Fever Sores.

Fever sores, when they are allowed to develop, are very painful and most disfiguring, and yet they can easily be cured in the beginning by keeping a ball of saltpeter on hand, and at their first appearance moistening the ball with water and rubbing it on the spot.—New York Telegram.

Daniel Dougherty began one of his brilliant invectives with the words,

"If the press glaze in lectionness," and the Syracuse Standard reported him as saying, "If the press glaze in linen trousers."

SEE PROVES IT.

And the Proof is Just What
Our Readers Want.
Of How It Began She Hasn't the
Slightest Idea.

BUT CONCERNING ITS ENDING SHE IS EXPLICIT AND EXACT.

We never know just how a thing begins. But we are always certain of the results which are left.

These reflections were called out by the fact that it is so easy to drift into anything. In this world we must keep our eyes about us or we shall constantly find ourselves drifting into trouble.

We call to mind an instance in which a most estimable lady unobtrusively and without knowing when or how, allowed herself to drift into what became to her a most serious matter and caused many years of anxiety and suffering.

This lady is widely known—Mrs. Mary Jane Foster of 327 West 21st Street, New York City, and what she says are true and exact facts, as can be easily and readily ascertained by anyone. It is experience of any use, here is a revelation to be heeded by all.

Without knowing her meaning she had a dull feeling head, dizziness, had taste in the mouth, especially morning. Her sleep was broken and she could wake mornings feeling tired and exhausted. After a time the appetite became irregular, there was a fullness or bloated feeling after meals, and the bowels were constipated, such symptoms, in fact as people frequently experience during the spring of the year.

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THE DOG AT THE STATION.

An Illustration of How Lasting the Affection of a Canine May Be.

"An instance of animal affection came to my notice two years ago," said Aquila Fleischman, instructor of physics in the University of Kansas. "It was on the occasion of President Jordan's leaving the state university of Indiana, where I was then a student, to assume the presidency of the Leland Stanford university at Pasadena, Cal. While president of the Indiana university Dr. Jordan secured a fine St. Bernard pup and took good care to raise it properly. The dog soon became proficient in many ways under the tutelage of Dr. Jordan and seemed fairly to worship its master. Nightly the dog would be seen in the Bloomington postoffice waiting its turn when the mail for the president would be handed out inclosed in a leather pouch. With this pouch the dog would trot away toward the residence of the president, and was to any one who attempted to bar its progress.

"Dr. Jordan on leaving presented the dog to Professor Hoffman, the collector. At first the dog was disinclined to part with his master, and upon meeting Dr. Jordan in the street would turn away from Professor Hoffman and follow after. Being driven away once or twice, however, it made no further attempts at following him. On the occasion of the doctor's departure Professor Hoffman, along with the other members of the faculty, went to the depot. The dog journeyed with him. It was there that Dr. Jordan stooped and patted the dog on the head and then entered the cars. The dog watched wistfully for the reappearance of the good doctor, but in vain.

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

All Advertisements, to insure insertion in this paper, must be handed in as early as 10 o'clock on Thursday forenoon.

TO IMPROVE HIGHWAYS.

Hon. Elihu B. Hayes, Mayor of Woburn, has drafted a bill in the interests of better roads in this State which is practical, liberal, and ought to become a law. It will soon go before the Legislative Committee on Roads and Bridges where, it is fair to presume, it will receive favorable consideration.

The plan suggested by Mayor Hayes is mainly for the benefit of the smaller towns of the Commonwealth which are not able to build and maintain roads of a high grade of excellence, and at the same time its practical working would not involve a public expense that anybody would seriously feel.

In another column of the JOURNAL Mayor Hayes's bill may be read. Possibly some modifications may be deemed advisable, but the idea is sound and its practical application is well provided for by the draft presented.

THE "DRUNK LAW."

Ever since it went into force the JOURNAL has been trying to make it appear that the so called "drunk law" is a good one and serves a good purpose. It batters itself that its arguments have had some effect on the public mind and conscience.

Now comes the Massachusetts Prison Association and backs up the JOURNAL's position as solid as anything can be. Its latest issued annual report sustains with figures and deductions from them, every position which we have taken on the question and proves that the JOURNAL, as usual, has been on the right track all the time.

In another column are given a few extracts from the report, and we only wish it were our power to lay it before our readers in full.

The "drunk law" is all right.

ANOTHER BIG ONE.

Boston has been meeting with the rubbers from fires lately and if a stop is not soon put to it the city will be burned-up.

Last Sunday Tremont Temple was totally destroyed by the devouring element which also did some damage to the Parker House, close by, and other business establishments, the total loss footing up to \$250,000. That makes the third time that Tremont Temple has been laid low by fire. The origin of Sunday's conflagration is not known, but more than likely as not it was the work of a firebug, of which Boston appears to be full at this time.

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POSITIVELY DECLINES.

Lieut. Governor Haile gave out word last week that he would not run for Governor again this year under any circumstances, and there is no reason for thinking he did not mean what he said. It is something of a question whether or not he could have secured a nomination if he had not withdrawn from the field.

From present appearances there will be no lack of candidates for the office and a red-hot fight for it will not be much of a surprise to anybody.

The 41st annual convention of the Middlesex County Y. P. S. C. E. will be held in the Congregational Church at Waltham on Fast Day, April 6. There will be afternoon and evening sessions, and the convention topic will be "Work." Delegates from abroad will eat themselves, but can get coffee, tea and milk from the Waltham society at a nominal cost.

Employees on the Boston & Maine system are still under any pleased with the retention of Mr. Daniel W. Sanborn by the Company as General Superintendent. He is an able railroad manager and popular with everybody.

LOCAL NEWS.

New Advertisements.

Etta J. Allen—Music.
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Measles prevails to quite an extent down in the neighborhood of Cross st.

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There is an interesting article on "Cows for Sale" in another column of this paper. Read it.

Mr. George D. Nelson has an important announcement in this paper to which we call attention.

Mr. Downs of Bow st. fell from a building on Stoddard st. last Monday and was severely injured.

The Co-operative Bank has declared a dividend of 34 percent for the last 6 months, equal to 64 per cent.

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Master Brown's stir over the matter resulted in important changes in the Almshouse. The way to get a thing done is to agitate.

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—Relief Corps 83 will give an Orange Tea at their rooms in the Bank Block, on Tuesday, March 28. The educated here will be there and take the obligation. Tickets—25 cents.

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—The North Woburn street railway line began running cars to Medford yesterday and the public are grateful for it. Assistant Superintendent Howe came in on Monday and left orders for some new timetables, which are out. Supt. Sewell has no doubt that the road will be equipped with electric cars at an early day and is looking forward to doing a first class business season. There is no reason why the line should not do well.

—Barring an unusual display of "the green," nothing of note was done here towards celebrating St. Patrick's Day last Friday. It was also Evacuation Day, the anniversary of the glorious retreat of the British soldiers from Boston, but the majority of the great event was not disturbed by any "doings" of a public character. Business here went right along as usual, and it was the same in Boston and all along shore, so far as heard from.

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(Don't forget the date.)

ARTISTS:

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1. Song, "Mona," Mr. Woodward, Adams

2. Reading, "Our Legged Gnomes," Mr. Woodward, Adams

3. Song, "The Storm Bird," Mr. Woodward, Adams

4. Songs, "The Little Boy," Mr. Woodward, Adams

5. Dialectic Impromptu, Mr. Woodward, Adams

6. Song, "The Ship on Fire," (A Descriptive Scene), Mr. Woodward, Adams

7. Song, "Aria," Mrs. Woodward, Adams

8. Reading, "The Literary," Mr. Woodward, Adams

9. Vocal Duet, "The Fisherman," Mr. Woodward, Adams

10. Song, "The Blue Eyes," Mr. Woodward, Adams

Admission, 25 Cents. Doors open at 7. Performance at 7:45.

North Woburn.

The annual meeting of the N. W. Business Association will be held in the vestry of the North Congregational church at 7:30 o'clock on Tuesday evening, March 28. The election of officers and other important business will come before the meeting.

Steps are being taken by the Pantasote Leather Co. to remedy the obnoxious smells which emanate from their factory near the Chemical Works and render the establishment entirely untenantable. Great complaint has reached the Superintendent of the factory, Mr. R. J. Munyan, from people living near and remote on account of the insufferable stench which occasionally befalls forth from the chimneys, but on the date no remedy for it has been introduced. This state of things is to cease very soon. On last Monday Supt. Munyan showed me a letter from the Treasurer of the Company, Mr. Outerbridge, in which it is stated that a condenser of ample capacity is in process of building and will be put into the factory at an early day. When the condenser gets to work there will be no more trouble or reason for complaint on the score of offensive odors from the factory. Treas. Outerbridge says the machine will be hurried up as rapidly as possible, for the Company are anxious to remove all grounds for public complaint just as soon as it can be done. The condenser will cost about \$5,000. Supt. Munyan says the reign of bad smells from the Pantasote Leather Co's factory is about over.

USE DANA'S SARSAPARILLA. ITS "THE KIND THAT CURES."

Wilmington.

No person has done so much towards bringing our little rural town into notoriety as Mrs. Dr. Henry Hiller. She has made Wilmington familiar to the ears and eyes of everybody all over the country, and the end is not yet. If the reports are reliable the lady is to be married to her former coachman, a French Canadian 25 years her junior, biotic and not remarkably prepossessing, on next Easter Sunday in a style that will eclipse any wedding ever before solemnized in New England. Preparations are going on which indicate that it is to be an immense affair—simply stupendous. It is said that the lady is worth \$3,000,000, and wears jewels on her person every day that would make the Queen of Sheba green with envy. She goes about fairly loaded down with refined gold and costly gems, and on either one of her 8 delicate fingers there is wealth enough to buy any two farms in Wilmington. She fairly revels in precious stones, not to mention the piles of silks, satins, old lace, rich plumes, furs, and such like with which her modest cottage is filled. With some of this immense wealth, the handsome and lively widow proposes to put her boy-husband through the Wilmington public schools, into and through Harvard College, and make a learned man of him. She is just the kind of a woman to do it. It is said she has had many fine offers of marriage since her husband Henry died, but yielded to none of them until her coachman laid siege to her heart, and when he came around with his fair words and gentle sighs she caved. I expect that Easter Sunday will be a great day for this village as well as for all the surrounding towns and cities. It will be a magnificent show.

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WINCHESTER.

John L. Ayer for Selectman is a good nomination. Miss Anna McKenzie is visiting her brother in the South.

Winchester is on top of the heap as regards the sewer business. Cars on the No. Woburn St. Railway began running to Medford on Thursday. A good thing for Winchester.

What can be the matter with the town fathers that they were able to find only 19 articles to put in the Warrant? Rev. D. A. Newton gave a strong address on "The Drink Evil" at the Congregational church last Sunday evening. He is a very able man.

Work on the new shops at No. Winchester will begin in about two weeks and the buildings will be ready for occupancy by early autumn.

Work on the Metropolitan Sewer is going ahead immediately south of here. They are tunnelling under the B. & M. tracks at a depth of 20 feet. Trains are obliged to "slow up" for several rods.

Great credit is due Chairman Pratt and the other members of the Committee for the good work they have done in protesting before interested parties the Metropolitan Sewerage Commission.

The many friends of the popular grocerman at Stanton's, Chas. Adams, are sorry to learn that he is again suffering from an attack of his old enemy, the grip. We all hope he will be around again soon.

Anyone wishing to make a study of the very latest designs in suburban residence architecture would do well to devote an hour or two to a leisurely walk along the streets of this town, more particularly the westerly portion. Mr. Hannibal Wellington, who has purchased the Ephraim Colburn property on Lexington street, Woburn, is a son-in-law of Mr. Samuel Wells, an old and respected citizen of this town, residing in Fruit street near the Arlington line. Mr. Wellington has carried on the Wells farm for several years past.

Rev. H. S. Nash, Professor in the Episcopal Theological School, Cambridge, preached at the Episcopal church last Sunday evening. "Christy" was the product of the Paines, a "Sucker" born and bred, and when a school boy at Geneseo, Illinois, was noted for being bright and many parts, student habits, and high standing in his classes.

If Street Commissioner Richardson is forced into retirement this spring he will die with his boots on, and anybody who dares to differ with him will make a mistake. From all accounts he is "loaded for bear," and it won't do to crowd him into the street. There is no getting round the fact that Col. Nat has made a good job of it, and he would say, where he is it is somebody else's dirt.

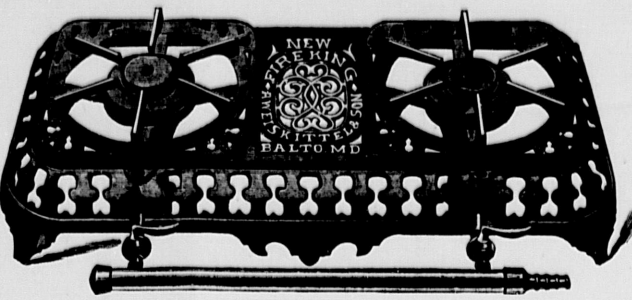
At the annual meeting of the Winchester Mutual Benefit Association the following officers were elected: President, David N. Skillings; Vice-President, Edward J. Smith; Secretary, William A. Snow; Treasurer, G. F. Taylor; Directors, E. B. Collier, George S. Littlefield, S. C. Small, Edward H. Rice, James P. Boutwell, John G. Hovey, Henry F. Johnson, Emmons Hatch, Thomas H. Stinson.

The town reports are in appearance fully up to the average of such documents, but on closer examination a vast number of utterly inexcusable typographical errors are noticed. I do not remember ever hearing of Mr. Henry Rowe, and who would think that in his own home Hon. P. A. Collins would suffer the indignity of having his name printed Patrick Collins—(for this is incorrect). Work, understand. Instances similar to these will be multiplied.

Landscape gardeners have looked over the site for the new shops, and have described in last evening's *Herald*, with a view to beautifying the grounds by making a river bank, the river bank trees and shrubs will be planted along the proposed walks and avenues, and a fountain is to be erected for the lawn on the south side of the building. Caliseum will be planted on all sides of the brick walls, and flower beds are to be laid out in various places on the property.—*Woburn Herald*.

The friends of Mr. Charles Partridge were much gratified at the sight of his vote at the caucus, and they lost no time in handing the requisite number of signatures to his nomination papers. They feel confident that he will be elected, claiming that a large number of East Siders will vote for him. It will probably be nip and tuck between Mr. Partridge and Mr. Ayer, with the chances presumably in favor of the latter. They are both energetic young men and either could be relied upon to do faithful work as a member of the Board.

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The Gas Company can refer to many citizens, and will be pleased to show and explain various forms of stoves and appliances which will be sold to our customers at the manufacturers' prices to the trade.

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" R. Barrett,

" Wm. N. Titus,

" J. A. Day,

" J. L. Andrews,

" F. A. Winn,

Mrs. J. B. McDonald,

" M. A. Ham,

" E. F. Johnson,

" S. T. Brigham,

" F. W. Crosby,

" J. H. Hamard,

" Webster Woodman,

" Chas. A. Nichols,

" Fred. J. Hamard,

" Miss Hattie A. Kenney,

" Mrs. Herbert B. Dow,

" Frank F. Dodge,

Mrs. Frank H. Elliott,

" G. F. Fosdick,

" E. A. Wood,

" J. W. Johnson,

" Benj. Hineckey,

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MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons

interested in the estate of Timothy Buckley,

late of Woburn, in said County, deceased.

HEIRING: WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Ellen Buckley, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executor therein named; she may be exempt from giving a surety or securities on her bond pursuant to said will and statute.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of April, A. D. 1893, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have against the same, why the same should not be admitted to probate.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this thirtieth day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.

S. H. FOLSOM, Register.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs at law, creditors, and all other persons

interested in the estate of Lavinia C. Richardson,

late of Woburn, in the State of New Hampshire, deceased, intestate, leaving estate in said County:

WHEREAS, application has been made to said Court to grant a letter of administration, on the estate of said deceased to Albert H. Richardson of Woburn, County of Middlesex, and to exempt him from giving surety or securities on his bond pursuant to said will and statute.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the first Tuesday of April, A. D. 1893, at nine o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you have, against granting the same.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once a week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper called the WOBURN JOURNAL, printed at Woburn, the last publication to be two days, at least before said Court.

Witness, GEORGE M. BROOKS, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-fourth day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.

S. H. FOLSOM, Register.

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